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OF THE

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,

OF

WASHINGTON TERRITORY,

DURING THE

EIGHTH BIENNIAL SESSION,

BEGUN AND HELD AT OLYMPIA, THE SEAT OF GOVERNMENT,
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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Monday, October 3, 1881.

On this third day of October, A. D. 1881, at 10:30 o'clock A. M., the representatives elect convened at their hall in the Territorial Capitol, at Olympia, Washington Territory, as a part of the Legislative Assembly, required by law to meet this day.

There were present—

Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Clark, Comegys, Cornwall, Dillon, Freeman, Holcomb, Judson, Karr, Kincade, Kuhn, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Rees, L. P. Smith, D. W. Smith, T. J. Smith, Steen, Taylor, Warman, Van Eaton.

Who were called to order by Wm. H. Hughes, Esq., who was assistant clerk for the 7th Biennial Session hereof.

Whereupon, on motion of Mr. Kuhn, Mr. L. P. Smith was by acclamation elected Speaker *pro tem.*, and entered upon the discharge of his duties.

Mr. Kuhn's motion to elect other temporary officers by ballot prevailed.

Messrs. Kuhn and O'Neil were appointed tellers, and W. H. Hughes and E. R. Burk having been nominated for temporary clerk, the ballots were cast and E. R. Burk declared elected.

Mr. Kuhn's motion to suspend further elections and appoint a committee of five on Credentials, carried. And the Speaker appointed Messrs. Kuhn, Allen, D. W. Smith, Warman and O'Neil as such committee.

Mr. Warman's motion to adjourn till o'clock to-morrow morning was lost.

On motion of Mr. Judson,

The committee on Credentials was instructed to report at 3 P. M., this day.

On motion of Mr. Karr,

The house took a recess till 3 o'clock this afternoon.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

All the members being present, and the Speaker *pro tem.*

in the chair, the committee on Credentials made the following report:

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Credentials report that they have examined the returns in the office of the Secretary of the Territory of Washington, and find the following persons have been elected members of the House of Representatives and are entitled to seats at this session:

R. R. Rees and W. G. Preston—For the county of Walla Walla.

William Clark, R. P. Steen and W. L. Freeman—For the county of Columbia.

T. J. Smith, and Geo. Comegys—For the county of Whitman.

James O'Neil—For the counties of Stevens and Spokan.

E. S. Taylor—For the county of Yakima.

W. D. Smith—For the county of Klickitat.

William H. Dillon—For the county of Clarke.

W. W. Holcomb—For the counties of Klickitat, Clarke and Skamania.

Thomas Warman and Adam Catlin—For the counties of Cowlitz, Pacific, Lewis and Wahkiakum.

James A. Karr—For the counties of Pierce, Thurston and Chehalis.

Albert Van Eaton—For the county of Thurston.

Stephen Judson—For the county of Pierce.

L. P. Smith and Watson Allen—For the county of King.

G. F. Raymond—For the counties of King and Kitsap.

Orin Kincade—For the county of Whatcom.

John Alexander—For the counties of Snohomish, Island and San Juan.

J. A. Kuhn—For the counties of Mason, Jefferson and Clallam.

J. M. Cornwall—For the counties of Walla Walla and Whitman.

And we further report that there is no notice of contest on file in said office.

Respectfully submitted.

J. A. KUHN,
JAMES O'NEIL,
W. D. SMITH,
WATSON ALLEN,
THOMAS WARMAN.

On motion of Mr. Karr,

The report was adopted and the committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Kuhn,

Hon. N. H. Owings, Territorial Secretary, was invited within the bar and administered the oath of office to all of the members elect.

On motion of Mr. Kuhn,

The House proceeded to effect a permanent organization.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

On motion of Mr. Karr,

The House proceeded to elect permanent officers by ballot.

For Speeker—L. P. Smith and R. R. Rees were placed in nomination. The first ballot resulting as follows: L. P. Smith, 10; R. R. Rees, 9; W. G. Preston, 1; and George Comegys, 3 votes. Necessary to a choice 12; no election.

Mr. Rees withdrew in favor of Mr. Comegys, and the ballot being taken Mr. Smith received 10 and Mr. Comegys 13 votes; when Mr. Comegys was declared Speaker of the House.

Messrs. Karr and Preston being appointed to escort the Speaker elect to the chair, he was introduced and entered upon the discharge of the duties of his office.

For Chief Clerk—E. R. Burk, Chas. Eagan and Wm. H. Hughes were placed in nomination. The ballot being taken E. R. Burk received 15; Chas. Eagan, 5; and Wm. H. Hughes, 4 votes. E. R. Burke was declared elected.

For Assistant Clerk—Wm. H. Hughes and J. T. Berry were placed in nomination. Ballot being taken Wm. H. Hughes received 17; J. T. Berry 6, and L. D. Durgin, 1 vote. Wm. H. Hughes was declared elected.

For Enrolling Clerk—Miss C. Newton, Miss Jennie Moore and Miss Annie Stevens were placed in nomination. And on the ninth ballot, Miss Newton received 13; Miss Moore 8 and Miss Stevens 3 votes. Miss Newton was declared elected.

For Engrossing Clerk—Miss Lizzie Ferry and Miss Anna Knighton were nominated. Miss Ferry received 14, and Miss Knighton 9 votes. Miss Ferry was declared elected.

For Sergeant-at-Arms—L. P. Berry and G. W. L. Allen were nominated. The ballot resulting, Berry 14; Allen 10 votes. L. P. Berry was declared elected.

For Messenger—J. J. Calhoun and Miss Ada Wood were placed in nomination. Ballot resulting, Calhoun 14; Miss Wood 9 votes. J. J. Calhoun was declared elected.

For Doorkeeper—J. C. McFadden and W. H. Johnson being nominated. McFadden received 8 votes, Johnson 13. W. H. Johnson was declared elected.

For Watchman—S. A. Holcomb and Geo. D. Forbes were nominated. Mr. Holcomb received 2 votes and Mr. Forbes 22. Mr. Forbes was declared elected.

For Chaplain—D. Bagley and Allen Weir were placed in nomination. On the 3rd ballot, D. Bagley having received a majority of all the votes cast was declared elected.

The following communication was received from the Territorial Secretary:

TERRITORY OF WASHINGTON,
SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
Olympia, October 3, 1881.

To the Hon. Speaker of the House of Representatives
Washington Territory:

SIR:

I have the honor to inform you that Clarance B. Bagley has been appointed Public Printer for the eighth (8) Biennial session of the Legislative Assembly of the Territory of Washington. The appointment has been made by this office in compliance with instructions from the Treasury Department of the United States.

The Congressional Appropriation for Public printing having been limited to four thousand dollars ($4000), printing aggregating that amount will be done by Mr. Bagley and paid for by this office.

I have the honor to be, very respectfully,
Your obedient servant,
N. H. OWINGS,
Secretary of the Territory of Washington.

On motion of Mr. Smith, of King,

The Territorial Secretary was invited within the bar and administered the oath to the officers elect.

On motion of Mr. Rees,

The rules of the session of 1879 were made the rules of the present House until further order.

On motion of Mr. Kuhn,

The House adjourned till 10 o'clock to-morrow morning.

GEORGE COMEGYS,
Speaker of the House.

E. R. BURKE,
Chief Clerk.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
TUESDAY, *October* 4, 1881.

The House met pursuant to adjournment.

Speaker in the chair.

Roll called. All the members present except Mr. Warman.

After prayer by the Chaplain, the Journal of yesterday was read and is now approved.

On motion of Mr. Kuhn,

The Chief Clerk was instructed to inform the Council that the House was permanently organized and ready to proceed with business.

On motion of Mr. Kuhn,

The House took a recess of fifteen minutes.

AFTER RECESS.

The following message was received from the Council:

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
October 4, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER—

I am instructed by the Council to inform the House that the Council has perfected a permanent organization by the election of the following officers, and are ready to proceed to business:

H. F. Stratton.....*President.*
R. G. O'Brien.....*Chief Clerk.*
John DeTier.....*Asst Clerk.*
A. W. Engle.....*Enrolling Clerk.*
Miss Luella McMillan.....*Engrossing Clerk.*
Louis McMillan.....*Sergt-At-Arms.*
W. S. Leonard.....*Door-keeper.*
Frank E. Moore.....*Messenger.*
Rev. J. R. Thompson.....*Chaplain.*
H. H. Morgan.....*Watchman.*

R. G. O'BRIEN,
Chief Clerk.

Also the following message from the Council:

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
October 4, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER—

I am instructed by the Council to inform the House that the Council has passed

C. J. R. No. 1.—Relative to the Executive Chamber.

C. J. R. 2.—Authorizing the Chief Clerks of each house to arrange for the payment of postage for the officers and members with the postmaster of Olympia.

C. J. R. 3.—Relative to extending an invitation to Henry Villard and other capitalists, to visit the Capital during the present session.

R. G. O'BRIEN,
Chief Clerk.

C. J. R. 1.—Relative to the Executive Chamber.

Was read first time.

On motion of Mr. Judson,

Rules were suspended and the resolution read a second time.

On motion of Mr. Kuhn,

The rules were further suspended, resolution considered engrossed, and read third time now.

The question being "Shall the resolution pass?" then went to vote with the following result:

All voted in the affirmative.

The resolution passed.

On motion of Mr. Steen,

Press reporters were invited within the bar of the House.

C. J. R. 2.—Authorizing the Chief Clerks of each house to arrange for the payment of postage for the officers and members with the postmaster at Olympia.

Read first time.

On motion of Mr. Smith, of King,

The rules were suspended and the resolution read second time now by title.

C. J. R. 3.—Relative to extending an invitation to Henry Villard and other capitalists to visit the Capital, during the present session.

Read first time.

On motion of Mr. Kuhn,

Rules were suspended and the resolution read second time.

On motion of Mr. Smith, of Whitman,

The rules were further suspended and the resolution read third time now by title.

The question being "Shall the resolution pass" then went to vote with the following result:

Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Clarke, Cornwall, Dillon, Freeman, Warman, Holcomb, Karr, Kincade, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Van Eaton, Rees, Smith (of King), Smith (of Klickitat), Smith (of Whitman), Steen, Taylor, and Mr. Speaker—22; voting in the affirmative.

Messrs. Judson and Kuhn—2; voting in the negative.

The resolution passed.

Message from the Council:

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
October 4, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER—

I am instructed by the Council to inform the House that the Council has passed

C. J. R. 4.—Relative to the appointment of a Joint committee to wait upon the Governor.

C. J. R. 5.—Relative to the Joint Rules of last session.

And the same are herewith transmitted for your consideration.

R. G. O'BRIEN,
Chief Clerk.

C. J. R. 4.—Relative to the appointment of a Joint committee to wait upon the Governor.

Read first time.

And, on motion,

The rules were suspended, and the resolution read second time by title.

On motion,

The rules were further suspended and the resolution read third time now by title.

The question being "Shall the resolution pass?" all the members voted in the affirmative, except

Messrs. Dillon and Kincade, who were absent.

C. J. R. 5.—Relative to the Joint Rules of the last session.

Read first time.

And, on motion of Mr. Warman,

Rules were suspended and the resolution read second time by title.

On motion of Mr. Warman,

The rules were further suspended, resolution considered engrossed and read third time.

Then the question being "Shall the resolution pass?" all the members voted in the affirmative, except Messrs. Holcomb and Van Eaton, who were absent.

The resolution passed.

The Speaker appointed Messrs. Smith (of King) and Rees Joint committee on the part of the House to wait upon the Governor. And the Chief Clerk was instructed to report the same to the Council at once.

On motion,

The House took a recess for fifteen minutes.

House came to order, and the Joint committee on the part of the house, appointed to wait upon the Governor, submitted the following report:

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee appointed to wait upon his Excellency the Governor, beg leave to report that they have performed the duty, and the Governor has designated to-morrow at 2 o'clock P. M., as the hour for meeting the House and Council in Joint Convention, and deliver his Annual Message.

L. P. SMITH,
R. R. REES.
Committee.

On motion of Mr. Kuhn,

The report was adopted and the committee discharged.

On motion of Mr. Kuhn,

C. J. R. 2.—Authorizing the Chief Clerk of each house to arrange for the payment of postage for the officers and members with the postmaster of Olympia.

Was taken from the table.

Mr. Judson moved,

To strike out all after the word "instructed," in the fourth line, and insert the following amendment:

"To purchase from the postmaster at Olympia postage stamps for the use of the Legislative Assemble. The clerk of the Council to be authorized to expend seventy-five dollars for

the use of the Council, its members and officers; and the Clerk of the House of Representatives one hundred dollars for the use of the House, its officers and members. And the said sum of one hundred and seventy-five dollars is hereby appropriated; and the Territorial Auditor is instructed to draw his warrant on the Territorial Treasurer in favor of said Clerks for said amounts."

On motion of Mr. Smith, of King,

The amendment was adopted.

On motion of Mr. Kuhn,

The resolution was placed in the hands of the engrossing clerk.

Mr. Rees introduced

H. J. R. 1.—Relative to the reception of the Governor.

Read first time.

On motion of Mr. Kuhn,

The rules were suspended and the resolution read a second time by title.

On motion of Mr. Steen,

The rules were further suspended and the resolution considered engrossed, and read third time.

Then the question being "Shall the resolution pass?" all the members voted in the affirmative.

The resolution passed.

The Chief was instructed to report the resolution to the Council at once.

On motion of Mr. Kuhn,

The House adjourned till 1 P. M. to-morrow.

GEORGE COMEGYS,
Speaker of the House.

E. R. BURK,
Chief Clerk.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVE,
October 5, 1881.

House called to order at 1:15 P. M. by the Speaker.

Roll called and all the members answered to their names.

Journal of yesterday read and approved.

On motion of Mr. Judson,

The House took a recess, subject to the call of the Speaker.

House called to order, and the following message from the Council was received:

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
October 5, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER—

I am instructed by the Council to inform the House that the Council has passed

H. J. R. 1.—Relative to the reception of the Governor.

And the same is herewith returned.

R. G. O'BRIEN,
Chief Clerk.

On motion of Mr. Kuhn,

The Clerk was instructed to inform the Council that the House is now ready to receive that body in Joint convention to receive the Governor's Message.

The Council then appeared in the hall of the House and the Joint convention was call to order by the President of the Council.

On motion of Councilman Sharpstein,

The President appointed Messrs. Sharpstein, Hovey, Smith (of King,) Rees and Van Eaton a committee to wait upon his Excellency the Governor, and inform him that the two Houses were now in Joint convention and ready to receive his message.

On motion of Mr. Rees,

Ex-Governor E. P. Ferry wae invited to a seat within the bar.

On motion of Mr. Miller,

Judge Hoyt was invited to a seat within the bar.

The committee then retired, and the Governor returning with said committee, then delivered his biennial message.

On invitation of the President, ex-Governor E. P. Ferry made a few remarks.

On motion of Mr. Hoover,

The Joint convention adjourned, the Council retiring to their chamber.

The House having resumed business

On motion of Mr. Kuhn,

One thousand copies of the Governor's Message were ordered printed for the House.

On motion of Mr. Kuhn,

C. J. R. 2.—Authorizing the Chief Clerk of each house to arrange for the payment of postage of officers and members, with the postmaster at Olympia.

Was read third time.

The question "Shall the resolution pass?" then went to vote.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Alexander, Judson, Rees, Steen, Taylor and Mr. Speaker—6.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Allen, Catlin, Clark, Cornwall, Dillon, Freeman, Holcomb, Karr, Kincade, Kuhn, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Smith (of King,) Smith (of Klickitat,) Smith (of Whitman,) Warman and Van Eaton,—18.

House refused to pass the resolution.

On motion of Mr. Preston,

The Governor's Message was referred to a committee of three with instructions to report to the House such portions of the Message as it is necessary to take action upon.

The Speaker appointed Messrs. Preston, Karr and Kuhn as such committee.

Message from the Council:

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
October 5, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER—

I am instructed by the Council to inform the House that the Council has passed

C. J. R. 6.—Relative to Joint committee to adjust milage of members.

And the same is herewith transmitted.

R. G. O'BRIEN,
Chief Clerk.

C. J. R. 6.—Relative to appointing a Joint committee to adjust mileage.

Was read the first time.

On motion of Mr. Smith, of King,

The rules were suspended and the resolution read a second time by title.

On motion of Mr. Kuhn,

The rules were further suspended and the resolution read the third time by title.

The question being "Shall the resolution pass?"

All voted in affirmative.

The resolution passed.

And the Speaker appointed Messrs. O'Neil, Smith (of Klickitat) and Alexander, committee on the part of the House.

Mr. O'Neil introduced

H. J. R. 2.—Relative to the adjournment of the Territorial Legislature for the session 1881.

Resolution read first time.

Message from the Council:

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
October 5, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER—

I am instructed by the Council to inform the House that the Council has passed:

C. J. R. 7.—Relative to the appointment of a Joint committee on rules and orders.

And the same is herewith transmitted for your consideration.

R. G. O'BRIEN,
Chief Clerk.

C. J. R. 7.—Relative to appointing a Joint committee on rules and orders.

Read first time.

On motion of Mr. Judson,

The rules were suspended and the resolution read the second time by title.

On motion of Mr. Kuhn,

The rules were further suspended and the resolution read third time by title.

The question being "Shall the resolution pass?" all voted in the affirmative.

The resolution passed.

And the Speaker appointed Messrs. Judson, Kincade and Taylor a committee on the part of the House.

On motion of Mr. Kuhn,

The House adjourned till 10 o'clock to-morrow morning.

GEORGE COMEGYS,
Speaker of the House.

E. R. BURK,
Chief Clerk.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Thursday, October 6, 1881.

House called to order by the Speaker.

At roll call all members answered to their names.

After prayer by the Chaplain, Journal of yesterday read and approved.

The Speaker announced the following Standing committees of the House:

WAYS, MEANS AND CLAIMS.

Messrs. Preston, Kincade, Smith (of King,) Judson and Smith (of Klickitat.)

EDUCATION.

Messrs. Karr, Rees and Dillon.

JUDICIARY.

Messrs. Kuhn, Judson, Holcomb, Smith (of Whitman,) and Karr.

ROADS AND HIGHWAYS.

Messrs. Cornwall, Steen, Allen, Smith (of Klickitat) and Catlin.

ENGROSSED BILLS.

Messrs. Steen, Preston and Smith (of King.)

ENROLLED BILLS.

Messrs. Rees, Raymond and Smith (of Whitman.)

INDIAN AFFAIRS.

Messrs. O'Neil, Allen and Catlin.

COMMERCE AND FISHERIES.

Messrs. Warman, Alexander and Kuhn.

PRINTING.

Messrs. Raymond, Warman and Rees.

CORPORATIONS.

Messrs. Kincade, Clark and Taylor,

COUNTIES.

Messrs. Smith (of Whitman,) Van Eaton, Preston, Kincade and Steen.

RULES AND ORDERS.

Messrs. Judson, Alexander and Holcomb.

AGRICULTURE.

Messrs. Van Eaton, Clark, Taylor, Allen and Catlin.

TERRITORIAL LIBRARY, PUBLIC BUILDINGS, AND GROUNDS.

Messrs. Alexander, Holcomb, and Cornwall.

FEDERAL RELATIONS AND MEMORIALS.

Messrs. Holcomb, Warman and Judson.

HOSPITAL FOR INSANE.

Messrs. Smith (of King,) Cornwall, Van Eaton, Taylor and Freeman.

MILITARY AFFAIRS.

Messrs. O'Neil, Raymond, and Freeman.

Report of Special committee on Governor's Message:

MR. SPEAKER—

Your Special committee, to whom was referred the Message from the Governor, have had the same under consideration, and recommend as follows:

So much as relates to Finance and the Revenue Law, be referred to the committee on Ways, Means and Claims.

So much as relates to Agriculture, be referred to Committee on Agriculture.

So much as relates to the Insane be referred to Committee on Hospital for the Insane.

So much as relates to Commerce, Fisheries, Navigation, and Quarantine, be referred to the Committee on Commerce and Fisheries.

So much as relates to Territorial University and Schools, be referred to Committee on Education.

So much as relates to Library and buildings, be referred to Committee on Territorial Library, Building and Grounds.

So much as relates to the Board of Equalization and Territorial officers, be referred to the Committee on Ways, Means and Claims.

So much as relates to Militia and Arms, be referred to the Committee on Military.

So much as relates to State Government, be referred to the Committee on Federal Relations and Memorials.

So much as relates to coal and lumber, be referred to Committee on Mining and Mining Interests.

So much as relates to Indians, be referred to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

So much as relates to the untimely death of James A. Garfield, our martyred President, be referred to a special committee of three.

And all matters not otherwise referred be referred to committee on Federal Relations and Memorials.

W. G. PRESTON,
JAS. A. KARR,
J. A. KUHN.

On motion of Mr. Judson,

That portion of the Governor's Message referring to the Revenue Law, and referred to the Judiciary committee, was changed to the committee on Ways, Means and Claims.

On motion of Mr. Steen,

The report, as amended, was adopted, and the committee discharged.

Mr. Kuhn introduced

H. B. 1.—An act to establish pilots and pilot regulations for San Juan de Fuca Straits, Puget Sound, and all American waters pertaining thereto.

Read first time in part.

On motion of Mr. Kuhn,

The rules were suspended and the bill read a second time by title.

On motion of Mr. Warman,

The bill was referred to the committee on Commerce and Fisheries, with instructions to print 150 copies.

Mr. Judson introduced,

H. B. 2.—An act to repeal an act entitled "An act creating a Territorial Board of Equalization.

Read first time.

And on motion of Mr. Kuhn, the rules were suspended and bill read a second time by title.

On motion of Mr. Warman,

The bill was referred to the committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Judson introduced

H. B. 3.—An act to amend an act entitled "An act in relation to Territorial Treasurer.

Read first time.

On motion of Mr. Kuhn,

The rules were suspended and the bill read a second time by title.

On motion of Mr. Smith, of Whitman.

The bill was referred to the committee on Ways, Means and Claims.

Mr. Karr introduced.

H. B. 4.—An act in regard to Probate Judges.

Read first time.

On motion of Mr. Judson,

The rules were suspended and the bill read a second time by title.

On motion of Mr. Karr,

The bill was referred to the committee on Counties.

Mr. Holcomb introduced,

H. J. R. 3.—Relative to the revision and codification of the Washington Territory Statutes.

Read first time.

On motion of Mr. Judson,

The rules were suspended and the resolution read a second time.

On motion of Mr. Kuhn,

The rules were further suspended, the resolution read the third time and place on its final passage.

All the members voting in the affirmative,

The resolution pass.

The Clerk was instructed to inform the Council of its passage.

Message from the Council:

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
October 6, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER—

I am instructed by the Council to inform the House that there has been introduced in the Council,

C. B. 1.—An act authorizing the County Commissioners of Whitman, Spokan and Columbia Counties, to appropriate money for the improvement of Public Roads and building Bridges

C. B. 2.—An act to provide for Pleading City Charters and Ordinances, and the evidence thereof.

C. B. 3.—An act for the better protection of Game and Fish; and to prohibit the putting of saw-dust, chips, shavings and other things injurious to fish into the streams and lakes of Washington Territory.

C. B. 4.—An act in relation of Courts in Washington Territory, and holding adjourned terms thereof.

C. B. 5.—An act for the Relief of Allen Wier of Jefferson County.

R. G. O'BRIEN,
Chief Clerk.

Mr. Smith (of Whitman,) introduced the following resolution:

Resolved, By the House of the Legislative Assembly of the Territory of Washington, that all bills of a general character referred to the Standing committees of the House be not printed unless otherwise ordered.

On motion of Mr. Rees,

The resolution was adopted.

H. J. R. 2.—Relative to the adjournment of the Legislature,

Was read second time.

Mr. Raymond moved to lay the resolution on the table.

Mr. Rees called for the ayes and noes.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Clarke, Cornwall, Dillon, Holcomb, Judson, Karr, Kincade, Kuhn, Raymond, Smith (of King), Smith (of Klickitat), Steen, Taylor, Van Eaton and Warman.—18.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Freeman, O'Neil, Preston, Rees, Smith (of Whitman and Mr. Speaker—6.

The motion to lay on the table prevailed.

Message from the Council.

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
October 6, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER—

I am instructed by the Council to inform the House that the Council has passed

H. J. R. 3.—In regard to the Revision and codification of the Washington Teraitory Statutes,

And the same is hereunto returned.

And appoint Messrs. Evans and Sharpstein Joint committee on the part of Council.

R. G. O'BRIEN,
Chief Clerk.

Mr. Kuhn moved that a committee of three be appointed to secure suitable rooms down town for the use of the committees.

Motion carried.

And Messrs. Kuhn, Karr and Smith (of King,) were appointed as such committee.

On motion of Mr. Kuhn,

150 copies of the Territorial Treasurer's report were ordered printed for the use of the House.

Messrs. Holcomb, Judson and Kuhn were appointed Joint committee on the part of the House on,

H. J. R. 3.—In regard to the revision and codification of the Statutes of Washington Territory.

On Motion of Mr. Smith, of King,

150 copies of the report of the Board of Emigration were ordered printed.

Mr. Kuhn moved that 500 copies of the report of the Superintendent of the Hospital for the Insane be printed.

Motion lost.

On leave Mr. Holcomb introduced,

H. J. R. 4.—Authorizing the Chief Clerks of both Houses to arrange for the purchase and payment of Postage Stamps for the use of members with the Postmaster of Olympia.

Read first time.

Mr. Smith, (of King,) moved to reconsider the vote by which

C. J. R. 2.—Authorizing the Chief Clerks of each House to arrange for postage, etc.

Was lost.

The motion prevailed and the vote was reconsidered when,

Mr. Kuhn moved to reconsider the vote by which the resolution passed to its third reading.

The motion prevailed.

And the resolution was referred to a special committee, consisting of Messrs. Smith (of King,) Dillon and Allen for a substitute.

On motion of Mr. Kuhn,

The House adjourned until 10 A. M. to-morrow.

GEORGE COMEGYS,
Speaker of the House.

E. R. BURK,
Chief Clerk.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Friday, October 7, 1881.

House called to order by the Speaker.

Roll called, and all the members answered to their names.

After prayer by the Chaplain

The Journal of yesterday read and approved.

The Speaker appointed the following additional Standing Committees.

MINES AND MINING.

Messrs. Kincade, Allen and Freeman.

PRIVILEGES AND ELECTION.

Messrs. Karr, Dillon and Smith, of Klickitat.

The Speaker appointed Messrs. Rees, Kuhn and Karr on that portion of the Governor's Message touching the death of our late President James A. Garfield.

Communication from the Secrtary.

WASHINGTON TERRITORY,
SECREARY'S OFFICE,
Olympia, October 6, 1881.

Hon. Speaker of the House of Representatives
of the Territory of Washington:

DEAR SIR:

Under the Act of Congress and the instructions of the

Treasury Department this Office is permitted to pay members, officers and employees of the House of Representatives the per diam fixed by law, when the same shall have been properly certified to this office by the Speaker and Chief Clerk. As follows:

24 members of the House	at $4.00	per day
Speaker of the House	at $2.00	" "
1 Chief Clerk	at $6.00	" "
1 Engrossing and Enrolling Clerk	at $5.00	" "
1 Sergeant-at-arms and Doorkeeper	at $5.00	" "
1 Messenger	at $5.00	" "
1 Watchman	at $5.00	" "
1 Chaplain	at $1.50	" "

I have the honor to be very respectfully,
your obedient servant,
N. H. OWINGS,
Secretary.

The Joint select committee appointed under

H. J. R. 3.—Relative to the revision and codification of the Washington Territory Statutes,

Submitted their report which was adopted and the Clerk instructed to report the same to the Council at once.

Mr. Alexander introduced,

H. B. 5.—An act to amend an act entitled an act to establish District Courts in the third Judicial District and fixing the time for holding the same.

Read first time.

On motion of Mr. Kuhn,

The rules were suspended and the bill read a second time by title.

On motion of Mr. Judson,

The bill was referred to the Judiciary committee.

Mr. Rees introduced,

H. B. 6.—An act entitled an act to reimburse the Judges of the District Court for expenses, etc.

Read first time.

On motion of Mr. Judson,

The rules were suspended and the bill read a second time by title.

On motion of Mr. Smith, of Khitman,

The bill was referred to the committee on Ways, Means and Claims.

Report of committee on Judiciary:

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Judiciary to whom was referred

H. B. 2.—An act to repeal an act entitled "an act creating a Territorial Board of Equilization",

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back and recommend its passage.

J. A. KUHN,
Chairman.

The report was adopted and the bill "tabled."

Report of Special committee:

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee to whom referred

C. J. R. 2.—In relation to furnishing Postage Stamps for the use of both Houses of the Legislative Assembly,

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back with a substitute and recommend that the same do pass.

L. P. SMITH,
WATSON ALLEN,
WM. H. DILLON,
Committee.

H. J. R. 5.—Substitute for

C. J. R. 2.—Relative to furnishing postage for the use of the members was

Read first time.

On motion of Mr. Kuhn,

The rules were suspended, and the resolution read second time by title.

On motion of Mr. Judson,

The rules were further suspended and the resolution read third time and placed on its final passage, the ayes and noes being called for,

Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Clarke, Cornwall, Dillon, Holcomb, Karr, Kuhn, Kincade, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Rees, Smith (of King), Smith (of Klickitat), Taylor, Warman, Van Eaton, and Mr. Speaker—voting in favor of, and

Messrs. Freeman, Judson, Kincade Smith (of Whitman), and Steen against adoption:

The resolution was adopted.

Mr. Judson moved,

That 250 copies of the report of the Superintendent of the Hospital for the Insane be printed.

Motion prevailed and so ordered.

Mr. Kuhn moved,

That all bills ordered printed be limited to 100 copies unless otherwise ordered by the House.

Motion prevailed

Communication from the Governor:

TERRITORY OF WASHINGTON,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
Olympia, October 7, 1881.

To the Speaker and House of Representatives:

I have a dispatch from Mr. Villard indicating his accept-

ance of your invitation to visit the capital during the session of the Legislature, and making the inquiry desiring a reply "If your Body will be in session to-morrow." My inability to answer renders it necessary for me to refer it to you for action.

WM. A. NEWELL.

Mr. Preston's motion, to appoint a committee of three to confer with the Governor in this regard prevailed and the Speaker appointed Messrs. Preston, Smith (of Klickitat) and Steen such committee.

Who afterwards reported that they had waited on the Governor and from him learned that Mr. Villard and party would be in Olympia to-morrow but was not advised as to the time they would visit the Assembly.

On motion of Mr. Preston,

The House took a recess till 2:30 P. M.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

House called to order by the Speaker at 2:30 P. M.

All the members present except Mr. Preston.

A communication from Hattie S. Carothers, a blind woman, asking the remission of her taxes was read, and

On motion of Mr. Smith, of King,

Referred to the committee on Education.

Message from the Governor:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, Oct. 7, 1881.

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

I have the honor to respectfully request the return to this office, the reports of the Territorial University which I laid before you on the 5th inst. for the examination and comparison with the reports of the Superintendent of Public instruction now on the table.

Yours Respectfully,
WM. A. NEWELL.

On motion of Mr. Smith, of King,

The reports were returned as requested.

The report of the Territorial Librarian for the past two years was received from the Governor and referred to the committee on Territorial Library, Public Buildings and Grounds.

Mr. Judson's motion to reconsider the vote by which 150 copies of the report of the Territorial Treasurer were ordered printed, prevailed when

On motion of Mr. Kuhn,

One hundred copies were ordered instead.

Message from the Council:

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
October 7, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER—

I am instructed by the Council to inform the House that the Council has passed

C. J. R. 8.—Relative to newspapers for the present Session

And have adopted the report of committee concerning

H. J. R. 3.—Relative to codification of the laws of Washington Territory,

And that the Council has passed

C. B. 8.—An act to repeal an act entitled an act to prevent extortion and unjust discrimination in the rates charged for the transportation of passengers and freight on railroads in this territory, approved Nobember 14, 1873.

C. B. 10.—An act to prevent hogs from running at large in Spokan County.

C. J. R. 9.—Relative to fixing the times and places of holding the terms of the District Courts in Washington Territory.

Herewith transmitted.

And that the Council ask the appointment of a Joint committee upon that portion of the Governor's Message relating to the death of our late President James A. Garfield and announce as committee on the part of the Council, Messrs. Evans, Sharpstein and Long.

Also a Joint committee on that portion of the Governor's Message relating to the Penitentiary and announces as committee on the part of the Council, Messrs. Graden, Hovey and Evans.

Also that the Council has passed

H. J. R. 5.—Substitute for

C. J. R. 2.—Relative to postage for members.

And the same is herewith returned.

R. G. O'BRIEN,
Chief Clerk.

Mr. Kuhn moved to take up Council business,

And his motion prevailed.

C. J. R. 8.—Relative to newspapers for present session

Read first time.

On motion of Mr. Kuhn,

The rules were suspended and the resolution read second time now by title.

On motion of Mr. Kuhn,

The rules were further suspended the resolution read a third time and went to vote with the following result.

Yeas, Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Clark, Cornwall, Holcomb, O'Neil, Preston, Rees, Raymond, Smith (of King,) Smith (of Whitman) and Van Eaton—12.

Nays—Messrs. Catlin, Dillon, Freeman, Judson, Karr, Kincade, Kuhn, Smith (of Klickitat), Steen, Taylor, Warman, and Mr. Speaker—12.

The resolution was lost.

C. J. R. 9.—Relative to Joint committee fixing time and place of holding District Courts in Washington Territory.

Read first time.

On motion of Mr. Kuhn,

Rules were suspended and the resolution read a second time by title.

On motion of Mr. Kuhn,

The rules were suspended and the bill read a third time by title

Ayes and Noes being called, each member voted in favor of the resolution, except Messrs. Holcomb, Kincade and Smith (of Whitman)—3, who voted in the negative.

The resolution passed.

C. B. 10.—An act to prevent hogs from running at large in Spokan county.

Was read first time.

On motion of Mr. Smith, of Klickitat,

The rules were suspended and the bill read a second time by title.

Mr. Judson moved to amend by adding the name of Pierce after the name Spokan, in line three.

Amendment adopted.

Mr. Kuhn moved a further amendment by inserting the name Clallam after the name Pierce.

Amendment adopted.

On motion of Mr. Kuhn,

The rules were further suspended and the bill read the third time as amended, and placed on its final passage.

All voting in the affirmative.

The bill passed.

Mr. Judson's motion to amend the title of the bill by adding the words "Pierce and Clallam after the name Spokan prevailed and the title of the bill was made the title of the act.

C. B. 8.—An act to repeal an act entitled "an act to prevent extortion." Was read.

On motion of Mr. Preston,

The rules were suspended and the bill read a second time by title.

On motion of Mr. Kuhn,

The bill was referred to the committee on Ways, Means and Claims.

The committee of three to whom was referred that portion of the Governor's Message referring to the death of President Garfield, was made a Joint committee to act with the committee of the Council.

Message from the Council:

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
October 7, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER—

I am instructed by the Council to inform the House that

the President has signed the following resolutions reported by the committee as correctly enrolled:

C. J. R. 1.—Relative to Executive Chamber.

C. J. R. 3.—Relative to extending an invitation to Mr. Villard and others.

C. J. R. 4.—Relative to appointment of a Joint committee to wait upon the Governor.

C. J. R. 5.—Relative to Joint rules of last session.

C. J. R. 6.—Relative to appointing Joint committee to adjust milage.

C. J. R. 7.—Relative to appointing committee on Rules and Orders.

And the same are herewith transmitted for your signature.

R. G. O'BRIEN,
Chief Clerk.

The Speaker gave notice that he was about to sign the above cited resolutions.

On motion of Mr. Karr,

The House adjourned till 10 o'clock to-morrow morning.

GEORGE COMEGYS,
Speaker of the House.

E. R. BURK,
Chief Clerk.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Saturday, October 8, 1881.

House called to order by the Speaker at 10 A. M.

At roll call all members answered to their names.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

Message from the Governor read, stating that Mr. Villard and party had arrived during the previous night.

Mr. Kuhn's motion to instruct the Sergeant at-arms of the House to go with the Sergeant-at-arms of the Council and procure livery teams for the purpose of conveying the Villard party to the capitol prevailed and the Sergeant-at-arms retired to execute the order.

The Journal of yesterday was read, corrected and approved.

Clerks instructed to spread all votes by yeas and nays on Journal.

Message from the Council:

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
October 8, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER—

I am instructed by the Council to inform the House that the Council has received notice that a motion will be made on Tuesday next to reconsider the vote whereby the Council adopted the report of the Joint committee on

H. J. R. 3.—Relative to the codification of the Washington Territory Statutes.

And the return of said report is respectfully requested.

R. G. O'BRIEN,
Chief Clerk.

Report of Standing committee:

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Commerce to whom was referred the report of the health officer, and the report of the Columbia river Pilots have the same under consideration and recommend that 100 copies of each report be printed.

THOMAS WARMAN,
Chairman.

Mr. Warman moved,

That the report be adopted and that 100 copies of each of said reports be ordered printed.

Motion prevailed and it was so ordered.

On motion of Mr. Smith, of King,

A committee of three consisting of Smith (of King,) Karr and O'Neil were appointed to escort Mr. Villard and party into the House.

The committee returning accompanied by Mr. Villard and party.

The visitors were introduced to the Assembly by the Chairman of the committee and

On motion of Mr. Rees,

A recess was taken subject to call of the Speaker.

After listening to remarks from Mr. Villard and others of his party the House was again called to order and,

On motion of Mr. Kuhn,

Adjourned till 10 A. M. Monday, October 10.

GEORGE COMEGYS,
Speaker of the House.

E. R. BURK,
Chief Clerk.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Monday, October 10, 1881.

House called to order by the Speaker.

All the members were present except Messrs. Allen, Catlin, Cornwall and Preston.

Journal of Saturday read and approved.

The Speaker appointed Messrs. Van Eaton, Holcomb and Catlin Joint committee on the part of the House on that portion of the Governor's Message referring to the Penitentiary.

The Speaker appointed Messrs. Smith (of Whitman,) Kincade and Kuhn, Joint committee on the part of the House on

C. J. R. 8.—In relation to special Joint committee fixing time and place for holding District Courts in Washington Terr'y.

Mr. Kuhn called to the chair.

Report of committee on Enrolled Bills.

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Enrolled bills to whom was referred

House Joint Resolution 5—Relative to postage for members and

H. J. R. 3.—In regard to the revision and codification of the Washington Territory Statutes.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back correctly enrolled.

R. R. REES,
Ch'n Committee.

PROPOSITIONS AND MOTIONS.

Mr. Smith (of King) introduced,

H. B. 7.—An act appropriating money and otherwise providing for the Territorial University.

Read first time.

On motion of Mr. Raymond,

The rules were suspended and the bill read the second time by title.

On motion of Mr. Judson,

The bill was referred to the committee on Ways, Means and Claims.

Mr. Freeman introduced,

H. B. 8.—An act to exempt the blind from school tax.

Read first time.

On motion of Mr. Steen,

The rules were suspended and the bill read the second time by title.

On motion of Mr. Judson,

The bill was referred to the committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Holcomb introduced,

H. B. 9.—An act to amend an act entitled "An act relating to and defining the property rights of husband and wife.

Was read the first time.

On motion of Mr. Karr,

Rules were suspended and the bill read second time by title.

On motion of Mr. Karr,

The bill was referred to the committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Smith, of Whitman, introduced,

H. B. 10.—An act to repeal an act entitled "An act in relation to the organization of new counties and the change of county lines"

Read first time.

On motion of Mr. Karr,

The rules were suspended and the bill read a second time by title.

On motion of Mr. Steen,

The bill was referred to the committee on Counties.

Mr. Van Eaton introduced,

H. B. 11.—An act for the relief of A. H. Chambers.

Read first time.

On motion of Mr. Karr,

The rules were suspended and the bill read a second time by title.

On motion of Mr. Raymond,

The bill was referred to the committee on Ways, Means and Claims.

Mr. Van Eaton introduced,

H. B. 12.—An act for the relief of Billings and Olsen.

Was read first time.

On motion of Mr. Smith, of Klickitat,

The rules were suspended and the bill read a second time by title.

On motion of Mr. Smith, of Klickitat,

The bill was referred to the committee on Ways, Means and Claims.

Mr. Freeman introduced,

H. B. 13.—An act to close business houses and prevent the sale of intoxicating liquors on Sundays.

Read first time.

On motion of Mr. Steen,

The rules were suspended and the bill read a second time by title.

Mr. Steen moved to refer the bill to the committee on Education.

Motion lost.

Mr. Warman moved,

To refer the bill to the committee on Judiciary.

Motion carried and bill so referred.

Mr. Steen introduced,

H. B. 14.—An act to incorporate the city of Dayton.

Read first time.

On motion of Mr. Smith, of King,

The rules were suspended and the bill read a second time by title.

On motion of Mr. Smith, of King,

The bill was referred to the committee on Corporations.

Mr. Smith, of King, moved,

That the Clerk be instructed to request the return from the Council, of the Joint committee report on

H. J. R. 3.—In regard to the revision and codification of the Washington Territory Statutes.

Motion carried.

Speaker in the chair.

Mr. Kuhn introduced,

H. J. R. 6.—In relation to Territorial printing.

Read first time.

On motion of Mr. Kuhn,

The rules were suspended and the resolution read sec'd time by title.

On motion of Mr. Warman,

The rules were further suspended, resolution read third time now, and placed upon its final passage.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Alexander, Clark, Dillon, Freeman, Holcomb, Karr, Kincade, Kuhn, O'Neil, Raymond, Rees, Smith (of King,) Smith (of Klickitat,) Smith (of Whitman,) Steen, Taylor Van Eaton, Warman and Mr. Speaker—19.

Absent—Allen, Catlin, Cornwall, Judson, and Preston—5.

The resolution passed.

Mr. Holcomb introduced,

H. J. R. 7.—Authorizing the Joint committee on Public Buildings and Grounds to visit the Territorial University and Hospital for the Insane.

Read first time.

On motion of Mr. Kuhn,

The rules were suspended and the resolution read second time by title.

On motion of Mr. Kuhn,

The resolution was referred to the committee on Rules and Orders.

On motion of Mr. Kuhn,

The House adjourned.

GEORGE COMEGYS,
Speaker of the House.

E. R. BURK,
Chief Clerk.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Tuesday, October 11, 1881.

House called to order by the Speaker.

Roll called and all the members answered to their names.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

Journal of yesterday read, corrected and approved.

PETITIONS, MEMORIALS AND REMONSTRANCES.

Mr. Kuhn presented a petition from the Puget Sound Pilot Commissioners.

Referred to the committee on Commerce and Fisheries.

Mr. Allen introduced,

H. M. 1.—In relation to retired officers of the United States Army.

Read first time.

On motion of Mr. Smith, of King,

The rules were suspended and the memorial read the second time by title.

On motion of Mr. Raymond.

The rules were further suspended, memorial considered engrossed and read third time and placed on its final passage.

And passed by unanimous vote.

Mr. Steen presented a petition from the citizens of Daytoa favoring the adoption of the city charter bill now before the House.

Referred to the committee on Corporations.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Report of committee on Ways, Means and Claims:

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Ways, Means and Claims to whom was referred

H. B. 3.—An act to amend an act entitled "An act in relation to Territorial Treasurer."

Also,

C. B. 8.—In relation to repealing an act to prevent extortion.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back with recommendation that they both do pass.

Also that they have had under consideration

H. B. 6.—An act to reimburse the Judges of the District Court for expenses in holding terms at which no United States business is transacted, recommendation that it do not pass.

W. G. PRESTON,
Chairman.

Report of committee on Counties:

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Counties to whom was referred

H. B. 10.—An act to repeal an act entitled "An act in relation to the organization of new counties and the changes in county lines,"

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back with recommendation that it pass.

T. J. SMITH,
Chairman.

SPECIAL REPORT OF SELECT COMMITTEES.

Report of special committee on Committee Rooms.

MR. SPEAKER—

Your special committee to whom was referred the matter

of procuring rooms for committee purposes have had the same under consideration and report,

That we can rent three rooms in the same building for the sum of $12.50 per month, and one room with fuel and lights for the sum of $12.50 per month and recommend the three rooms in the same building.

J. A. KUHN,
Chairman.

On motion of Mr. Alexander,

The report was adopted.

On motion of Mr. Allen,

The Clerk was instructed to provide the Governor with printed copies of the Standing committees of the House.

PROPOSITIONS AND MOTIONS.

Mr. Holcomb introduced,

H. B. 15.—An act of interest on money and prevention of usury.

Read first time.

On motion of Mr. Smith, of Whitman.

The rules were suspended and the bill read the second time by title.

On motion of Mr. Karr,

The bill was referred to the committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Kuhn introduced,

H. B. 16.—An act relating to elections and the mode of supplying vacancies.

During the first reading,

Mr. Kuhn moved,

That the bill be considered read the first time,

Rules suspended and the bill be read the second time by title.

Motion lost.

After further reading, Mr. Raymond moved,

That the further reading of the bill be dispensed with.

Motion carried.

On motion of Mr. Steen,

The rules were suspended and the bill read the second time by title.

On motion of Mr. Kuhn,

The bill was referred to the committee on Privileges and Elections with instructions to print.

Message from the Conucil:

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
October 11, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER—

I am instructed by the Council to inform the House that the Council has passed

C. J. R. 10.—Relative to purchasing of Washington Territory Statutes for the Executive Office.

C. J. R. 11.—In relation to Joint action of Council and House in the matters of printing to be paid for by the Territory.

H. J. R. 6.—In relation to Territorial printing,

And that the Council has adopted the report and Resolutions, submitted by the Joint committee to whom was referred that portion of the Governor's Message relating to the death of the late President James A. Garfield,

And the same are herewith transmitted.

Also that the President has signed

H. J. R. 3.—Relative to the revision and codification of the Washington Territory Statutes.

H. J. R. 5.—Relative to Postage for members.

Herewith returned.

And that there has been introduced in the Council

C. B. 14.—An act in relation to assaults by words and gestures.

C. J. R. 12.—Relative to appointing a Joint committee to apportion the Legislative Assembly of the Territory of Washington.

Also that the Council has adopted the report of the Joint committee on milage,

And the same is herewith transmitted for your consideration;

And that the Council has passed

C. B. 3.—An act for the better protection of Game and Fish; and to prohibit the putting of saw-dust, chips, shavings and other things injurious to fish into the streams and lakes of Washington Territory,

And the same is herewith transmitted.

That the Council has concurred in the House amendment to

C. B. 10.—An act to prevent hogs from running at large in Spokan county.

Also, that the Council has fixed upon Wednesday, October 12th, as the day for visiting Public Institutions and ask the House to appoint a committee of two, to act with Mr. Miller, of King, who has been appointed by the Council to make the necessary arrangements therefor.

R. G. O'BRIEN,
Chief Clerk.

On motion of Mr. Raymond,

The rules were suspended, and the Clerk instructed to report at once to the Council the passage of

H. M. 1.—In relation to retired officers of the United States Army.

Mr. Smith (of Whitman,) introduced

H. B. 17.—An act to amend an act to regulate the building of barbed wire fences.

Read first time.

On motion of Mr. Karr,

The rules were suspended, and the bill read second time by title.

On motion of Mr. Smith, of King,

The bill was referred to the committee on Agriculture.

Mr. Taylor introduced,

H. B. 18.—An act to change the name of Charles Howard Harper to David Johnston Stevens.

Was read first time.

On motion of Mr. Judson,

The rules were suspended and the bill read a second time by title.

On motion of Mr. Smith, of Whitman,

The bill was referred to the committee on Hospital for the Insane.

Bills and other business lying on the table:

H. B. 3.—An act to amend an act entitled "An act in relation to Territorial Treasurer.

Read third time.

The question being "Shall the bill pass?"

Then received a unanimous vote.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

C. B. 8.—An act to repeal an act entitled "An act to prevent extortion."

Read third time.

The question being "Shall the bill pass?" then went to vote.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Clarke, Cornwall, Dillon, Freeman, Kincade, Kuhn, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Rees, Smith (of King), Smith (of Klickitat), Smith (of Whitman), Steen, Taylor, Van Eaton, Warman, and Mr. Speaker—21.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Holcomb, Judson, Karr—3.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

Message from the Governor:

EXECUTIVE CHAMBER, Oct. 11, 1881.

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

I have the honor to transmit to the House of Representatives a copy of the report of the Territorial Auditor for the term ending with 30th day of September, 1881.

WM. A. NEWELL.
Governor.

On motion of Mr. Kuhn,

The report was referred to the committee on Ways, Means and Claims, with instructions to get 450 copies printed.

H. B. 6.—An act entitled an act to reimburse the Judges of the District Court for expenses, etc.

Bill on its third reading.

Mr. Kuhn moved,

To recommit to the committee on counties.

Motion lost.

Mr. Judson moved,

To recommit the bill to the committee on Ways, Means and Claims.

Motion carried.

Message from the Council:

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
October 11, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER—

I am instructed by the Council to inform the House that the Council has passed

C. J. R. 12.—Relative to appointment of Joint committee to apportion the Legislative Assembly of Washington Territory.

C. B. 2.—An act to provide for pleading municipal charters and ordinances, and the evidence thereof.

H. M. 1.—In relation to retired officers of the United States army,

Herewith transmitted, and that the Council has refused to reconsider the vote whereby the report of the Joint committee on

H. J. R. 3.—In regard to the Revision and codification of the Washington Territory Statutes,

Was adopted.

R. G. O'BRIEN,
Chief Clerk.

H. B. 10.—An act to repeal an act entitled "An act in relation to the organization of new counties and the change of county lines"

Read third time.

The question being "Shall the bill pass?" then went to vote.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Clarke, Cornwall, Dillon, Freeman, Holcomb, Judson, Karr, Kincade, Kuhn, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Smith (of Klickitat), Smith (of Whitman), Steen, Taylor, Van Eaton, Warman, and Mr. Speaker—21.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Catlin, Rees, Smith (of King),—3.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

BILLS AND OTHER BUSINESS FROM COUNCIL.

The Council having set October 12th as the day to visit the Insane Asylum and Territorial University, and asking the appointment of a committee of two on the part of the House to act with the committee of one on the part of the Council, to make necessary arrangements,

Mr. Smith, of King, moved to amend, making the date the

20th inst.; pending which Mr. Kuhn's motion to postpone consideration until the 18th prevailed.

The report of the Joint committee on milage was read and

On motion of Mr. Kuhn,

Was adopted.

C. J. R. 11.—In relation to Joint action of Council and House in the matter of Printing paid for by the Territory, was read.

On motion of Mr. Holcomb,

The rules were suspended and the resolution read second time by title.

On motion of Mr. Holcomb,

The rules were further suspended, and the resolution considered engrossed, read third time, now, and placed upon its final passage.

All present and voted in the affirmative.

The resolution passed.

C. J. R. 10.—Relative to purchasing of Washington Territory Statutes for the Executive Office.

Was read.

On Motion of Mr. Smith, of King,

The rules were suspended and the resolution read sec'd time by title.

On motion of Mr. Smith, of Whitman,

The rules were further suspended and the resolution considered engrossed, read a third time placed on its final passage, and passed the House by a unanimous vote.

C. J. R. 12.—Relative to appointing a Joint committee to apportion the Legislative Assembly of the Territory of Washington,

Was read first time.

C. B. 2.—An act to provide for Pleading City Charters and Ordinances, and the evidence thereof.

Was read the first time.

C. B. 3.—An act for the better protection of Game and Fish; and to prohibit the putting of saw-dust, chips, shavings and other things injurious to fish into the streams and lakes of Washington Territory.

Mr. Kuhn moved,

To dispense with the further reading, and that it be considered read the first time, which motion prevailed.

Mr. Freeman's motion to lie on the table, was lost.

Mr. Kuhn's motion to instruct the Sergeant-at-arms to take eight chairs from the House to the committee rooms,

Prevailed.

The report of the Joint committee on that portion of the Governor's message referring to the death of our late President

James A. Garfield, having been submitted, Councilman Evans was,

On motion of Mr. Rees,

Invited within the bar to read the same. The report was signed by Elwood Evans, Chairman, and is as follows:

TRIBUTE TO OUR MARTYRED PRESIDENT, JAMES ABRAM GARFIELD.

The Legislative Assembly of the Territory of Washington being the first to convene since the Nation's dire calamity, meeting within the period during which the Nation is clothed in mourning, it is proper and fitting that the representatives of the people of the Territory should speak in the name of their constituents the deep feeling of grief at the Nation's bereavement—the heartfelt sympathy with those who deplore the loss of a public benefactor, the people's friend—the earnest condolence with the grief stricken—family for the loss of son, husband, father, guide, protector and friend.

In the name of and for the people of said Territory the Legislative Assembly do hereby direct that this Tribute to the memory of JAMES ABRAM GARFIELD, late President of United States of America, be entered at length upon the Journals of both Houses, and inscribed within a proper Memorial Mourning page in the pamphlet of laws of the present session.

The people of Washington Territory in common with the civilized world, in sincere sorrow for humanity's loss of a noble man; in detestation of the terrible crime which caused his premature death in condolence with the widow and fatherless—as citizens of the Republic over which he so satisfactorily ruled, in earnest anxious grief at the loss of the Nation's Chief Magistrate, attest his exalted claim to be enrolled among the world's most illustrious dead. Honored during life as no other American; at one and the same time Representative in Congress, in which he was the recognized leader of his party; Senator elect of the State of Ohio; President elect of the United States of America.

From the humble vocation of day laborer he had developed into the Executive Head of fifty millions of free people. He had been teacher, soldier, statesman. In every position he conferred honor on the place—in each he earned the renewed confidence of those who placed their trust in him. Faithful in the few things, he was made ruler over many. He has gone to receive the well earned plaudit of "Well done, good and faithful servant."

Stricken down by the assassin, wounded to the death in sight of the Nation's Capitol, he struggled with death through seventy-nine weary days—patiently, bravely, heroically, waiting the result. Anxious millions gloomy with suspense, prayed

for his deliverence to health as man was never before so prayed for. The Nation—the civilized world, as it were—stood at his bedside, like so many members of the same family craving in their deepest hearts that he would again be victorious as he before had been on many a field of death. Thus was the world disciplined in grief—thus did the death-stricken Chief Magistrate bring nations closer together. His long-continued suffering proved the alembic to distil increased love of country—regard for its rulers—humanity and fraternity were intensified. In affectionate solicitude for him, the President of a whole people—north and south were forgotten. His best blood has aided to wash out the remembrance of past differences, the Nati n's grief has unified us as a Nation. His suffering, his fortitude, his martyrdom, his many virtues, his pure and laborous life, illustrating the best type of popular institutions, the possibilities of American citizenship, his Christian heroism, his peaceful end, are the grandest lessons of the 19th century.

That the dire event of so great a sacrifice to a demoralized and depraved idea, stimulated by perverted partisan bigotry, may not be lost, we stop to exalt the memory of the murdered President, to pay homage to exalted human character—to brand with infamy the wicked author of the crime of the century. Let the Territorial Capitol be draped in mourning the remainder of the present session, that the habiliments of woe may serve to remind us to treasure the memory and follow the example of one now enrolled high among the immortal names "which where not born to die"; to remind us of our accountability to those who have trusted to us the responsible duty of legislating for the people, not for party—to learn that "He serves party best, who best serves country." Thus will the glorious life and the untimely death of JAMES ABRAM GARFIELD, have wrought their most valuable mission.

So noble a life, so grand a death cannot fail to remind us that our success as public servants must really depend upon conscientious and unselfish performance of duty to the people we represent, the constant effort to forget self and labor for the good of our Territory.

On motion of Mr. Kuhn, House adjourned.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Wednesday, October 12, 1881.

House called to order by the Speaker.

Roll called and all the members answered to their names but Mr. Steen.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

Journal of yesterday read, corrected and approved.

Mr. Karr introduced the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Chief Clerk be and is hereby empowered to engage the services of a competent person at a per diem of four dollars per day for the time necessarily employed to write up the Journal of the House at such times as he (the Chief Clerk) may be unable from press of other work to perform that duty himself.

On motion of Mr. Kuhn,

It was referred to the committee on Ways, Means and Claims.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Report of the Committee on Territorial Library, Public Buildings and Grounds.

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Territorial Library, Public Building and Grounds to whom was referred that part of the Governor's Message referring to the Library have had the same under consideration and report, that the upper shelves are filled with books that are useless and of no value at all, and recommend that shelving be put in the committee room in the Council Chamber, and that said book be placed thereupon, and that said shelves shall not cost over $30.

JOHN ALEXANDER,
Chairman.

Report of committee on Judiciary:

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Judiciary, to whom was referred

H. B. 5.—An act to amend an act entitled an act to establish District Courts in the third Judicial District and fixing the time and place for holding the same. Approved Nov. 14, 1879.

Have had the same under consideration, and report the same back and recommend that the same be referred to the Joint committee appointed to fix the time and places for holding courts in Washington Territory.

J. A. KUHN,
Chairman.

Report of committee on Agriculture:

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Agriculture, to whom was referred

H. B. 17.—An act to amend an act to regulate the building of barbed wire fences.

Have had the same under consideration, and report the same back with the recommendation that it do pass.

A. VAN EATON,
Chairman.

Report of committee on Judiciary:

Mr. Speaker—

Your committee on Judiciary, to whom was referred

H. B. 15.—An act of interest on money and prevention of usury.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back with a recommendation that the same do not pass.

J. A. Kuhn,
Chairman.

PROPOSITIONS AND MOTIONS.

Mr. Karr introduced

H. B. 19.—An act in relation to the election of county commissioners and county commissioner districts.

Read first time.

On motion of Mr. Smith, of Whitman.

The rules were suspended and the bill read the second time by title.

On motion of Mr. Alexander,

The Bill was referred to the Committee on counties.

Mr. Judson introduced

H. B. 20.—An act to repeal Section 14 of an act entitled An act to establish District Court in the 1st and 2nd Judicial Districts and the time and places for holding the same.

Read first time.

On motions of Mr. Smith of Whitman,

The rules were suspended and the bill read a second time by title.

On motion of Mr. Smith, of King,

The bill was referred to the committee on Ways, Means and Claims.

Mr. Judson introduced,

H. B. 21.—An act to repeal Section 13 of an act entitled An act to establish District Courts in the 3rd Judicial District and to fix the time and places for holding the same.

Read first time.

On motion of Mr. Smith of Whitman,

The rules were suspended and the bill read a second time by title.

On motion of Mr. Judson,

The bill was referred to the committee on Ways, Means and Claims.

Mr. Catlin introduced,

H. B. 22.—An act in relation to roads in Cowlitz county.

On motion of Mr Judson,

The rules were suspended and the bill read a second time by title.

On motion of Mr. Preston,

The bill was referred to the committee on Roads and Highways.

Mr. Warman introduced.

H. B. 23.—An act to repeal an act entitled An act to create the office of Fish Commissioner for the Columbia river, to license the taking of salmon in the Columbia river and its tributaries, and to encourage the establishment of hatching houses in the waters of the Columbia river for the propagation of salmon, approved Nov. 14th, 1879.

Read first time.

On motion of Mr. Warman,

The rules were suspended and bill read a second time by title.

On motion of Mr. Kuhn,

The bill was referred to the committee on Commerce and Fisheries.

Mr. Clark introduced,

H. B. 24.—An act to change the name of Robert L. Musrush to Robert L. Rush.

Read first time.

On motion of Mr. Judson,

The rules were suspended and the bill read a second time by title.

Mr. Judson moved to refer the bill to the committee on Hospital for the Insane.

Motion lost.

Mr. Van Eaton moved,

To further suspend the rules, consider the bill engrossed, read the third time and placed on its final passage.

Lost.

On motion of Mr. Rees,

The bill was laid on the table.

Mr. Kuhn introduced

H. B. 25.—An act in relation to evidence in certain cases.

Read first time.

On motion of Mr. Clark,

The rules were suspended and the bill read a second time by title.

On motion of Mr. Dillon,

The bill was referred to the Judiciary committee.

SECOND READING OF BILLS.

C. J. R. 12.—Relative to appointment of Joint committee to apportion the Legislative Assembly of Washington Territory.

Read second time.

On motion of Mr. Kuhn,

The rules were suspended and the resolution read the third time and placed on its final passage.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Freeman, Holcomb, Kuhn, O'Neil, Preston, Rees, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Taylor, and Mr. Speaker.—10.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Clark, Cornwall, Dillon, Karr, Kincade, Raymond, Smith of King, Van Eaton, Warman—13.

Absent—Mr. Steen.

House refused to pass the resolution.

C. B. 2.—An act to provide for pleading of city charters and ordinances and the evidence thereof.

Read second time.

On motion of Mr. Preston,

The rules were suspended, the bill read the third time and placed on its final passage.

All voting in the affirmative but Mr. Steen, who was absent.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

C. B. 3.—An act for the better protection of game and fish and to prevent the putting of sawdust or other things injurious to fish in streams and lakes of Washington Territory.

Read second time.

On motion of Mr. Smith, of Whitman.

The bill was referred to the committee on Counties.

BILLS REPORTS AND OTHER BUSINESS LYING ON THE TABLE.

H. B. 6.—An act to reimburse the Judges of the District Courts for expenses in holding terms at which no United States business is transacted.

On motion of Mr. Kuhn,

The bill and report were laid on the table subject to the call of the House.

On leave Mr. Smith, (of King) introduced the following resolution:

Resolved, By the House that Mr. Steen (of Columbia) be granted leave of absences for an indefinite length of time, on account of sickness in his family.

The resolution adopted.

H. B. 5.—An act to amend an act entitled An act to establish District Courts in the 3rd Judicial District and fixing the times and places of holding the same.

The report of the Judiciary committee on the bill was adopted, and the bill referred to the Joint committee.

H. B. 17.—An act to amend an act to regulate the building of barbed wire fences, was,

On motion of Mr. Kuhn,

Laid on the table till to-morrow morning.

H. B. 15.—An act of interest on money and prevention of crime.

Read third time and placed on its final passage.

All voting in the negative except Mr. Smith, of Whitman.

Absent on leave, Mr. Steen.

House refused to pass the bill.

Message from the Council:

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
October 12, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER—

I am instructed by the Council to inform the House that there has been introduced in the Council

C. B. 19.—An act defining the rights of married persons.

C. B. 21.—An act to amend an act entitled An act to regulate the practice and proceedings in civil action.

C. B. 22.—An act to amend an act entitled An act to regulate the practice in civil action.

C. B. 23.—An act to regulate marriages,

And that the Council has passed,

C. B. 20.—An act in relation to the duties of County Auditors.

C. B. 24.—An act to amend an act entited An act in relation to Crimes and punishments, and proceedings in criminal cases.

Also, that the President has signed

C. J. R. 9.—In relative to appointing a Special committee to fix the times and places of holding the terms of the District Courts in Washington Territory.

C. B. 10.—An act to prevent hogs from running at large in the counties of Spokan Pierce and Clallam.

And the same are herewith transmitted.

Also that the Council has passed

C. B. 9.—An act prescribing the duties of Judges at Chambers.

Also, transmitted for your action.

R. G. O'BRIEN,
Chief Clerk.

BILL AND OTHER BUSINESS FROM THE COUNCIL.

C. B. 9.—An act prescribed the powers of District Judges at Chambers.

Was read first time.

On motion of Mr. Judson,

The rules were suspended, and the bill read second time by title.

On motion of Mr. Judson,

The bill was referred to the committee on Judiciary.

C. B. 20.—An act in relation to County Auditors.

Was read first time.

On motion of Mr. Judson,

The rules were suspended and the bill read the second time by title.

On motion of Mr. Judson,

The bill was referred to the committee on Counties.

C. B. 24.—An act to amend an act entitled An act relative to crimes and punishment and proceedings in criminal cases.

Read first time.

On motion of Mr. Holcomb,

Rules were suspended and the bill read second time by title.

On motion of Mr. Smith, of Klickitat,

The bill was referred to the committee on Privileges and Elections.

Mr. Alexander moved,

To reconsider the vote by which the House refused to pass

C. J. R. 12.—Relative to the appointment of a Joint committee to apportion the Legislative Assembly of Washington Territory.

Motion carried and vote reconsidered, and resolution made special order for to-morrow morning at 10.

The Speaker gave notice that he was about to sign,

C. J. R. 9.—In relation to appointing a special committee to fix the times and places of holding District Courts in Washington Territory, and

C. B. 10.—An act to prevent hogs from running at large in the counties of Spokan, Pierce and Clallam.

On motion of Mr. Kuhn,

The House adjourned.

GEORGE COMEGYS,
Speaker of the House.

E. R. BURK,
Chief Clerk.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Thursday, October 13, 1881.

House called to order by the Speaker.

Roll called, and all the members except Mr. Steen answered to their names.

After prayer by the Chaplain

The Journal of yesterday read and approved.

C. J. R. 12.—Relative to the appointment of a Joint committee on apportionment,

Having been made the special order of business for 10 o'clock to-day, was,

On motion of Mr. Rees,

Taken up.

The question being "shall the resolution pass?" then went to vote,

Those voting in the affirmative:

Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Clark, Cornwall, Freeman, Holcomb, Kincade, Kuhn, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Rees Smith

(of King.) Smith (of Klickitat), Smith (of Whitman), Taylor, Van Eaton and Mr. Speaker—19.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Dillon, Judson, Karr, Warman—4.

Resolution passed.

The Speaker appointed Messrs. Preston, Alexander and Taylor Joint committee on the part of the House on,

C. J. R. 11.—In relation to Joint action of Council and House in the matters of printing on the part of the Territory.

Mr. Smith, of King, called to the chair.

PETITION, MEMORIALS AND REMONSTANCES.

Mr. Judson presented two petitions from the citizens of Pierce county, praying for an amendment to the law regulating the sale of liquors of all kinds, and to amend or change the law regulating the disbursements of funds received for licenses.

Referred to the committee on Education.

Mr. Karr presented a petition from the citizens of Chehalis county, asking for an appropriation of $5,000 for establishing and opening a Territorial road.

Referred to the committee on Roads and Highways.

Mr. Kuhn introduced,

H. M. 2.—Relative to establishing a U. S. Land office at Port Townsend.

Read first time.

On motion of Mr. Kuhn,

The rules were suspended and the memorial read the second time by title.

On motion of Mr. Smith, of Klickitat,

The rules were further suspended and the memorial read the third time and placed on its final passage.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Alexander, Catlin, Cornwall, Dillon, Freeman, Holcomb, Karr, Kuhn, O'Neil, Preston Rees, Smith (of Klickitat,) Smith (of Whitman,) Taylor VanEaton, Warman and Mr. Speaker—17.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs Allen, Clark, Kincade, Raymond, and Smith (of King,)—5.

Absent—Mr. Judson, —1.

Memorial passed.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Report of committee on Enrolled Bills.

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Enrolled bills to whom was referred

House Memorial 1.—In relation to retired Army officers of the United States Army, and

H. J. R. 6.—In relation to Territorial printing,

Have compared the same with the original bills and report them back correctly enrolled.

R. R. REES,
Ch'n Committee.

Report of commiitee on Judiciary,

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Judiciary to whom was referred

H. B. 13.—[An act] to close business houses and prevent the sale of intoxicating liquors on Sundays.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back without recommendation.

J. A. KUHN.

Report of committee on Hospital for Insane.

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Hospital for the Insane to whom was referred

H. B. 18.—An act to change the name of Charles Howard Harper to David Johnston Stevens.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back with the recommendation that legislation is inexpedient.

L. P. SMITH,
Chairman.

Report of committee on Ways, Means and Claims.

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Ways, Means and Claims to whom was referred

H. B. 11.—An act for the relief of A. H. Chambers.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back with the recommendation that it do pass.

W. G. PRESTON,
Chairman.

Report of Committee on Judiciary.

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Judiciary to whom was referred,

H. B. 9.—An act to amend an act entitled "An act relating to and defining the [property] rights of husband and wife, approved, Nov. 14, 1879.

C. B. 9.—An act prescribing powers and duties of District Judges at Chambers.

H. B. 25.—An act in relation to evidences in certain cases.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back and recommend that they do pass.

J. A. KUHN,
Chairman.

Report of committee on Counties.

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Counties to whom was referred,

C. B. 3.—An act for the better protection of game and fish and to prohibit the putting of sawdust, chips, shavings and other things injurious to fish, in the streams and lakes of Washington Territory.

Recommend that it do not pass, also,

H. B. 4.—An act in regard to Probate Judges

And report back a substitute, also,

H. B. 19.—An act in relation to the election of County Commissioners and County Commissioner Districts,

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back with the following amendment to Section 1: *Provided* that not more than one Commissioner shall be elected from the same city or town, and

Recommend its passage.

T. J. SMITH,
Chairman.

Report of committee on Ways, Means and Claims,

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Ways, Means and Claims, to whom was referred

H. B. 12.—An act for the relief of Billings and Olson.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back with the recommendation that the amount in the bill, $150, be changed so as to read forty dollars ($40) and that the bill do pass with that amendment.

W. G. PRESTON,
Chairman.

Speaker Comegys called up,

H. B. 17.—An act to amend an act to regulate the building of barbed wire fences.

It having been made the special order for this morning.

Mr. Clark made a verbal minority report in opposition to the bill.

The bill was read the third time and placed on its final passage.

Those voting in the affirmative:

Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Cornwell, Dillon, Freeman, Holcomb, Judson, Karr, Kincade, Kuhn, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Taylor, Van Eaton, Warman, and Speaker—22.

Those voting in the negative:

Mr. Clark—1.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

BILLS, REPORTS, AND OTHER BUSINESS LYING ON THE TABLE.

Committee on Judiciary reported back

H. B. 13.—An act to close business houses and prevent the sale of intoxicating liquors on Sunday,

Without recommendation.

The bill was laid on the table, subject to the call of the House and subsequently,

On motion of Mr. Holcomb,

Taken from the table and referred to the committee on Printing, with instructions to get 100 copies printed.

Committee on Hospital for the Insane reported back that legislation was inexpedient on

H. B. 18.—An act to change the name of Charles Howard Harper to David Johnston Stevens.

The bill was read the third time and placed on its final passage.

Those voting in the affirmative:

Mr. Clark—1.

Those voting in the negative:

Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Cornwall, Dillon, Freeman, Holcomb, Judson, Karr, Kincade, Kuhn, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Taylor, Van Eaton, Warman, Speaker—22.

House refused to pass the bill.

Speaker in the chair.

Ways, Means and Claims committee report favorably, on

H. B. 11.—An act for the relief of A. H. Chambers.

Mr. Holcomb moved,

To amend by striking $40 out of the bill and inserting 40 cents.

Mr. Judson moved,

To amend by striking out $40 and inserting $25.

Pending which,

On motion of Mr. Rees,

The whole matter was laid on the table and made the special order of business for 10 o'clock to-morrow morning.

On motion of Mr. Kuhn,

The House took a recess until 2 P. M.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

House called to order by the Speaker.

At roll call all members answered to their names.

BILLS, REPORTS AND OTHERS BUSINESS LYING ON THE TABLE.

Judiciary committee reported favorably on

H. B. 9.—An act to amended an act entitled An act relating to and defining the property rights of husband and wife, approved Nov. 14, 1879.

Read third time and placed on its final passage,

Those voting in the affirmative:

Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Clark, Cornwall, Dillon, Freeman, Holcomb, Karr, Kincade, Kuhn, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Taylor, Van Eaton, Warman, Speaker—22.

Voting in the negative: Mr. Judson.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

Judiciary committee reported favorably on

C. B. 9.—An act prescribing the powers and duties of district judges at chambers.

Bill read third time and placed on its final passage.

Those voting in the affirmative:

Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Clark, Cornwall, Dillon, Freeman, Holcomb, Karr, Kincade, Kuhn, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Taylor, Van Eaton, Warman, Mr. Speaker—22.

Absent—Mr. Judson.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

Mr. Kuhn in the chair,

The same committee reported favorably on.

H. B. 25.—An act in relation to evidence in certain cases.

Read the third time and placed on its final passage.

Those voting in the affirmative:

Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Clark, Cornwall, Dillon, Freeman, Holcomb, Karr, Kincade, Kuhn, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Van Eaton, Warman—19.

Those voting in the negative:

Messrs. Catlin, Judson, Taylor, and Mr. Speaker—4.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

Committee on Counties reported back,

C. B. 3.—An act for the better protection of Game and Fish; and to prohibit the putting of saw-dust, chips, shavings and other things injurious to fish into the streams and lakes of Washington Territory.

Recommend that it do not pass.

On motion of Mr. Judson,

The report of the committee was adopted and the bill announced killed.

The same committee reported back a substitute for

H. B. 4.—An act in regard to Probate Judges.

On motion of Mr. Karr,

The report was adopted and,

H. B. 26.—Sustitute for,

H. B. 4.—An act in relation to Probate Judges,

Read first time.

On motion of Mr. Holcomb,

The rules were suspended and the bill read the second time by title.

On motion of Mr. Comegys,

The bill was referred to the committee on Judiciary.

The same committee reported back with amendment.

H. B. 19.—An act in relation to the election of county commissioners and county commissioner districts.

The report was adopted.

The bill as amended was read third time.

On motion of Mr. Holcomb,

The bill was referred to the committee on Engrossed bills.

Committee on Ways, Means and Claims reported back with amendment

H. B. 12.—An act for the relief of Billings and Olson.

On motion of Mr. Holcomb,

The report was adopted and the bill as amended, read the third time and placed on its final passage.

Those voting in the affirmative:

Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Clark, Cornwell, Dillon, Freeman, Holcomb, Judson, Karr, Kincade, O'Neil, Preston, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Taylor, Van Eaton—17.

Those voting in the negative:

Messrs. Kuhn, Raymond, Rees, Smith of Whitman, Warman, and Mr. Speaker—6.

Bill passed and titled agreed to.

OTHER BUSINESS OF THE HOUSE.

Mr. Rees moved

To refer the report of the Joint committee on the death of President Garfield to the committee on Printing with instructions to get one hundred copies printed for the use of the House.

Motion carried.

Speaker resumed the chair.

On motion of Mr. Kuhn,

The Sergeant-at-arms was instructed to furnish the committee rooms with lights and fuel.

The Speaker gave notice that he was about to sign

H. M. 1.—In relation to retired officers of the United States army,

H. J. R. 6.—In relation to Territorial printing.

On motion of Mr. Holcomb, the House adjourned.

GEORGE COMEGYS,
Speaker of the House.

E. R. BURK,
Chief Clerk.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Friday, October 14, 1881.

House called to order by the Speaker.

At roll call the members answered to their names except Mr. Steen.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

Journal of yesterday read and approved.

On motion of Mr. Kuhn,

The House took up the order of the day.

H. B. 11.—An act for the relief of A. H. Chambers.

With consent of the House Mr. Judson withdrew his amendment striking out $40 and inserting $25.

With consent of the House Mr. Holcomb also withdraw his amendment striking out dollars and inserting cents.

The bill was read third time and placed on its final passage.

Those voting in the affirmative:

Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Clark, Cornwall, Dillon, Judson, Karr, Kincade, Kuhn, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Rees, Mr. Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Taylor, Van Eaton, Warman, Speaker—21.

Those voting in the negative:

Messrs. Freeman and Holcomb—2.

The bill passed and title agreed to.

PETITIONS, MEMORIALS AND REMONSTRANCES.

Mr. Kuhn introduced,

H. M. 3.—Asking an appropriation for building a Custom House at Port Townsend.

Read second time.

On motion of Mr. Smith, of Whitman,

Rules suspended and the memorial be read the second time.

On motion of Mr. Kuhn,

The rules were further suspended, the memorial considered engrossed, read a third time and placed on its final passage. All voting in the affirmative, except Mr. Judson and Mr. Steen, who were absent.

The memorial passed.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Report of committee on Engrossed bills.

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Engrossed bills to whom was referred,

H. B. 19.—An act in relation to the election of county commissioners and county commissioner districts,

Report the same back correctly engrossed.

W. G. PRESTON,
Chairman.

Report of committee on Roads and Highways.

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Roads and Highways to whom was referred

H. B. 22.—An act in relation to roads in Cowlitz county.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back with the recommendation that it do pass.

J. M. CORNWALL, *Chairman.*

Report of committee on Commerce.

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Commerce and Fisheries to whom was referred

H. B. 23.—An act to repeal an act entitled An act to create the office of Fish Commissioner for the Columbia river, to license the taking of salmon in the Columbia river and its tributaries, and to encourage the establishment of hatching houses in the waters of the Columbia river for the propagation of salmon, approved Nov. 14th, 1879.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back with a recommendation that it do pass.

THOMAS WARMAN,
Chairman.

PROPOSITIONS AND MOTIONS.

Mr. Preston introduced,

H. B. 27.—An act making the Territorial Auditor custodian of the capitol grounds, buildings and library, with power to pay for their care and repairs,

Which was read first time.

On motion of Mr. Holcomb,

The rules were suspended and the bill read second time by title.

On motion of Mr. Holcomb,

The bill was referred to the committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Warman in the chair.

Committee on Engrossed bills report correctly engrossed.

H. B. 19.—In relation to the election of county commissioners and county commissioner districts.

On motion of Mr. Karr,

The bill was laid on the table subject to the call of the house.

Speaker resumed the chair.

Committee on Roads and highways report favorable on

H. B. 22.—An act in relation to roads in Cowlitz county,

On motion of Mr. Karr,

The bill was recommitted to same committee

Committee of Commerce report favorably on

H. B. 23.—An act to repeal an act entitled An act to create the office of Fish Commissioner, etc.

Bill read first time and being on its final passage all voted in the affirmative, except Mr. Judson and Mr. Steen, absent.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

Message from the Council.

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
October 14, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER—

I am instructed by the Council to inform the House that the Council has passed

C. B. 14.—An act in relation to assaults by words and gestures

C. B. 29.—An act in relation to the salary of the Probate Judge of Whitman county.

Also the Council has passed with amendments

H. B. 3.—An act to amend an act entitled "An act in relation to Territorial Treasurer.

All of which are herewith transmitted for your action and concurrence.

Also that the Council has passed.

C. B. 26.—An act in relation to fees of Probate Judges of Walla Walla county

C. B. 27.—An act to amend an act entitled An act defining the Jurisdiction and practice in the Probate courts of Washington Territory. Approved Nov. 9, 1877.

C. B. 28.—An act to amend an act entitled An act defining the Jurisdiction and practice in the Probate Courts of Washington Territory. Approved Nov. 11, 1873.

Also the Council has passed

C. J. R. 13.—Relative to Territorial and county officers furnishing statistics for publication in the coming work entitled "Commerce and Industries of the Pacific Coast."

C. B. 31.—An act to amend an act entitled An act defining the jurisdiction and practice in probate courts of Washington Territory. Approved Nov. 11, 1873.

C. B. 32.—An act to authorize the county commissioners of Whitman county to reimburse the sheriff of said county in the sum of $200.

And the same are herewith transmitted for your consideration.

R. G. O'BRIEN,
Chief Clerk.

Message from the Council:

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
October 14, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER—

I am instructed by the Council to inform the House that

C. B. 8.—An act to repeal an act entitled "an act to prevent extortion and unjust discrimination in the rates charged for the transportation of passengers and freights on railroads in Washington Territory. Approved Nov. 14, 1873.

C. B. 2.—An act to provide for pleading city charters and ordinances and the evidence thereof.

C. J. R. 10.—Relative to purchase of Washington Territory Statutes for the Executive Office.

Have been reported by the committee as correctly enrolled, and the same are herewith transmitted for your signature.

R. G. O'BRIEN,
Chief Clerk.

The Speaker gave notice that he was about to sign the said last mentioned bills and resolutions:

On motion of Mr. Rees,

House took a recess till 2 P. M.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

Speaker in the chair.

All the members present except Steen—Absent on leave.

H. B. 3.—An act to amend an act entitled "An act in relation to Territorial Treasurer."

Having been amended in the Council the House concurred.

C. J. R. 12. [13].—Relative to Territorial and County officers furnishing statistics for publication in the coming work entitled "Commerce and Resources of the Pacific Coast,"

Was read.

On motion of Mr. Holcomb,

The rules were suspended and the resolution read the second time.

On motion of Mr. Judson,

It was referred to committee on Commerce and Fisheries.

C. B. 32.—An act to authorize the County of Whitman to reimburse the Sheriff of said county in the sum of $200,

Was read.

On motion of Mr. Smith, of Whitman,

The rules were suspended and the bill read second time.

On motion of the same gentleman [Smith, of Whitman.]

The rules were further suspended and the bill considered engrossed read a third time and being on its final passage,

All members voted aye, except Mr. Catlin who voted no, and Mr. Holcomb and Mr. Steen, who were absent.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

C. B. 14.—An act in relation to assaults by words and gestures.

Read first, and second and third time and placed on its final passage under suspension of the rules.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Cornwall, Dillon, Holcomb, Karr, Kincade, Kuhn, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Taylor, Van Eaton, Warman and Mr. Speaker—19.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Catlin, Clark, Freeman and Judson.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

C. B. 26.—An act in relation to fees of probate Judges in Walla Walla county,

Was read twice under suspension of the rules, and

On motion of Mr Rees,

Referred to a Special committee, composed of the members from Walla Walla county.

C. B. 27.—An act to amend an act entiled "An act defining the jurisdiction and practice in the probate courts of Washington Territory. Approved Nov. 9, 1877,

Was read twice under suspension of the rules, and referred to committee on Judiciary.

C. B. 28.—An act to amend an act entitled An act defining the jurisdiction and practice in the probate courts of Washington Territory,

Was read twice under suspension of the rules, and referred to committee on Judiciary.

C. B. 29.—An act in relation to the compensation of the Probate Judge of Whitman county,

Was read twice under suspensation of the rules, and

On motion of Mr. Smith of Whitman,

Referred to a special committee consisting of the members from Whitman county.

C. B. 31.—An act to amend an act entitled An act defining the jurisdiction and practice in the probate courts of Washington Territory, approved Nov. 11, 1873.

Was read twice under suspension of the rules, and referred to committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Rees gave notice that he would on to-morrow move to rescind the House rule on printing bills and substitute 150 copies of all bills passed second reading shall be printed unless otherwise ordered.

On leave Mr. Holcomb introduced,

H. J. R.—To investigate milage of members,

Read third time under suspension of the rules and passed unanimously.

The Speaker appointed Messrs. Holcomb and Preston the Joint committee on the part of the House on H. J. R. 9.

On motion of Mr. Holcomb,

The House adjourned.

GEORGE COMEGYS,
Speaker of the House.

E. R. BURK,
Chief Clerk.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Saturday, October 15, 1881.

House called to order by the Speaker.

At roll call all members answered to their names but Mr. Steen—absent on leave.

Prayer by the chaplain.

Journal of yesterday read and approved.

Speaker appointed as Joint committee on apportionment on the part of the House, Messrs. Van Eaton, O'Neil, Rees, Smith of Klickitat, and Kuhn.

PETITIONS, MEMORIALS AND REMONSTRANCES.

A petition was present from Lucy A Switzer, Correspond-

ing Secretary Woman's Suffrage Association of Spokan county.

Referred to the Committee on Privileges and Elections.

Mr. Raymond introduced,

H. M. 4.—Relative to the establishing of a U. S. Land Office at Seattle, W. T.

Read first time.

On motion of Mr. Holcomb,

The rules were suspended and the Memorial read the second time by title.

Mr. Kuhn moved,

To amend by adding Pierce, Thurston, Mason, Lewis and Chehalis to the memorial.

Amendment lost.

Mr. Alexander moved to amend by striking out "Seattle" wherever it occurred and inserting in its place "Coupeville."

Amendment adopted.

Mr. Kuhn moved to further suspend the rules, consider the memorial engrossed, read the third time and place on its final passage.

Those voting in the affirmative:

Messrs. Alexander, Cornwall, Freeman, Karr, Kincade, Kuhn, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Van Eaton, Warman and Mr. Speaker.—15.

Those voting in the negative:

Messrs. Allen, Catlin, Clark, Dillon, Holcomb, Judson, Smith of Whitman, Taylor—8.

Memorial passed.

Mr. Kincade introduced,

H. M. 5.—Relating to federal officers.

Read first time.

On motion of Mr. Alexander,

Rules were suspended and the memorial read a second time by title.

On motion of Mr. Kuhn,

The memorial was referred to the committee on Federal Relations and Memorials.

Message from the Council:

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
October 15, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER—

I am instructed by the Council to inform the House that the President has signed,

H. J. R. 6.—In relation to Territorial Printing.

H. M. 1.—In relation to retired officers of the United States Army,

And the same are herewith returned. Also that

C. J. R. 11.—In relation to Joint action of House and Council in the matter of Printing paid for by the Territory,

Have been reported back as correctly enrolled and is herewith transmitted for your signature. And that the Council has passed

H. M. 2.—Praying the establishment of a U. S. Land office at Port Townsend.

H. B. 17.—An act to amend an act to regulate the building of barbed wire fences.

H. B. 10.—An act to repeal an act entitled "An act in relation to the organization of new counties and the changes of county lines"

And the same are herewith returned.

R. G. O'BRIEN,
Chief Clerk.

Mr. Kuhn gave notice that on Monday he would move to amend Rule No. 53 so as to read as follows:

"53. No bill shall pass to be engrossed until it shall have been read three time times; the time for the second and third reading shall be assigned by the House, but if no objection is made, the second reading of the bills and memorials may, under suspension of rules, be by title, and at the time of first reading."

PROPOSITIONS AND MOTIONS.

Mr. Alexander introduced,

H. B. 28.—An act to repeal an act entitled An act to create the Board of Immigration Commissioners and provide for the printing and distribution of certain pamphlets. Approved Nov. 12, 1875.

Read first time.

On motion of Mr. Alexander,

The rules were suspended and the bill read a second time by title.

On motion of Mr. Alexander,

The rules were further suspended and the bill read the third time and placed on its final passage.

Those voting in the affirmative:

Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Clark, Cornwall, Dillon, Freeman, Holcomb, Judson, Kuhn, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Taylor, Van Eaton, Warman—20.

Those voting in the negative:

Messrs. Karr, Kincade and Mr. Speaker—3.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

Message from the Governor:

EXECUTIVE CHAMBER, Oct. 15, 1881.

To the Legislative Assembly:

I have the honor respectfully to apply to the Legislative Assembly for copies of such Joint resolutions as may have been, or may hereafter be passed by your honorable Bodies of a legis-

lative character requiring expenditures of public money, or otherwise, in order that the Executive Department, as a coordinate and cooperative branch of the Territorial Government, representing the Government of the United States, may be possessed of an authenticated and intelligent knowledge of transpiring legislation.

WM. A. NEWELL.

Mr. Smith of King in the chair.

Mr. Karr introduced.

H. B. 29.—And act to amend an act entitled An an act in relation to roads and highways, ferries and travels on public highways.

Read first time.

On motion of Mr. Raymond,

The rules were suspended and the bill read a second time by title.

On motion of Mr. Preston,

The bill was referred to the committee on Roads and highways, with instructions to get 150 copies printed.

Mr. Smith (of King) introduced,

H. B. 30.—An act to allow Stevens Post No. 1. G. A. R., the use of certain arms belonging to the Territory.

Read first time.

On motion of Mr. Smith of Whitman.

The rules were suspended and the bill read a second time by title.

On motion of Mr. Van Eaton,

The bill was referred to the committee on Military affairs.

Mr. Clark introduced

H. B. 31.—An act to provide for rebate of term of imprisonment of prisoners at the Territorial penitentiary.

Read first time.

On motion of Mr. Holcomb,

The rules were suspended and the bill read second time by title.

On motion of Mr. Smith of Whitman,

The bill was referred to the committee on Judiciary.

On motion, the House adjourned until 10 o'clock Monday morning.

GEORGE COMEGYS,
Speaker of the House.

E. R. BURK,
Chief Clerk.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Monday, October 17, 1881.

House called to order by the Speaker.

At roll call the members answered to their names except Mr. Steen, absent on leave.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

Journal of Saturday read and approved.

PROPOSITIONS AND MOTIONS.

Mr. Kuhn introduced,

H. B. 32.—An act in relation to quarrantine of vessels.

Was read first time in part.

On Motion of Mr. Smith, of King,

The rules were suspended and the bill read a second time by title

On motion of Mr. Kuhn,

The bill was referred to the committee on Commerce and Fisheries with instructions to print.

Mr. Rees called for the reading of his resolution introduced on Friday rescinding the rule that only 100 bills, etc., be printed and that a 150 copies of bills be printed unless otherwise ordered.

Mr. Kuhn moved,

That the question be divided and that the latter part of the motion be considered first.

Motion carried and the resolution reconsidered.

The motion now stands that 150 copies of House bills shall be printed unless otherwise ordered.

Mr. Kuhn called up his amendment to

Rule 52.—Of Rules and Orders, introduced on Saturday.

On motion the amendment was adopted.

On motion of Mr. Kuhn,

The committee on Rules and Orders were instructed to get 150 copies of the Rules and Orders printed.

Mr. Alexander introduced,

H. B. 33.—An act to amend an act entitled An act to appropriate one-half of the Territorial tax of Snohomish county for the year 1880 for the purpose of building a Territorial road therein.

Was read first time.

And under suspension of the rules read second time by title.

On motion of Mr. Judson,

The bill was referred to the committee on Ways, Means and Claims.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Report of committee on Enrolled bills.

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Enrolled bills to whom was referred

H. B. 3.—An act to amend an act entitled An act in relation to Territorial Treasurer,

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back correctly enrolled.

R. R. REES,
Ch'n Committee.

The committee on Commerce and Fisheries submitted the following report on, C. J. R. 15.

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Commerce and Fisheries to whom was referred

C. J. R. 15.—Relative to Territorial and County officers furnishing statistics for publication in the coming work entitled "Commerce and Industries of the Pacific Coast,"

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back with the recommendation that it do pass.

THOMAS WARMAN,
Chairman.

The bill was read the third time and placed on its final passage.

Those voting in the affirmative:

Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Clark, Cornwell, Dillon, Freeman, Holcomb, Judson, Kincade, Kuhn, Preston, Raymond, Smith of King, Taylor, Van Eaton, Warman—16.

Those voting in the negative:

Messrs. Karr, O'Neil, Rees, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, and Speaker—6.

Absent Mr. Judson—1.

Bill passed.

The committee on Counties submitted the following report on: C. B. 20.

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Counties to whom was referred.

C. B. 20.—An act in relation to the duties of County Auditors.

Have had the same under consideration and report back H. B. 34, as a substitute, which we recommend do pass.

T. J. SMITH,
Chairman.

On motion of Mr. Kuhn,

The report was accepted.

H. B. 34.—Substitute for

C. B. 20.—An act in relation to the duties County Auditors.

Was read first time.

Bill read the second time by title under suspension of the rules.

On motion of Mr. Smith, of Whitman,

The rules were further suspended, and the bill read third time, and placed upon its final passage.

Those voting in the affirmative:

Messrs. Alexander, Cornwall, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Smith of King, Smith of Whitman, Taylor, Van Eaton—9.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Allen, Catlin, Dillon, Freeman, Judson, Karr, Kincade, Kuhn, Rees, Smith of Klickitat, Warman and Mr. Speaker—12.

Absent—Messrs. Clark, and Holcomb—2.

House refused to pass the bill.

Mr. Judson in the chair.

The special committee on Salary of Probate Judge of Whitman county reported as follows:

Your special committee to whom was referred

C. B. 29.—An act in relation to salary of Probate Judge of Whitman county,

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back with recommendation that it pass.

J. M. CORNWALL,
GEO. COMEGYS,
Committee.

The bill was read the third time and placed on its final passage.

All voted in the affirmative except Mr. Holcomb who voted negative, and Mr. Smith of Whitman, who was absent.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

Mr. Kuhn presented a communication from J. P. Judson, which was referred to the Joint committee on Judiciary having the codification of the laws in charge.

On leave Mr. Kuhn introduced,

H. J. R. 10.—In relation to pay of Clerks on codification of the laws,

Read first time.

Under suspension of the rules, read the second time by title.

Mr. Raymond moved,

To amend by adding the clerk of the committee on Printing after Judiciary.

Amendment adopted.

Mr. Vau Eaton moved,

To further amend by adding the clerk of the committee on Counties after the first amendment.

Amendment adopted.

On motion of Mr. Rees,

The resolution was referred to the Joint committee of the two Houses on codification.

The committee on Corporations submitted the following report on H. B. 14.

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Corporations to whom was referred.

H. B. 14.—An act to incorporate the city of Dayton

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back with the recommendation that it do pass.

O. KINCADE,
Chairman.

Mr. Freeman moved,

To amend the bill by striking out in Section 19, line 7, the words "and within or," and inserting the words "inside and with warrants"

Amendment adopted.

Bill, as amended, read the third time by title and placed on its final passed.

Those voting in the affirmative were:

Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Clark, Cornwall, Judson, Karr, Kincade, O'Neil, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klicitat, Taylor, Warman—14.

Those voting in the negative:

Messrs. Catlin, Dillon, Freeman, Kuhn, Preston, Smith of Whitman, Van Eaton and Mr. Speaker—8.

Absent Mr. Holcomb—1.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

Report of the Committee on Federal Relations and Memorial.

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Federal Relations and Memorials to whom was referred

H. M. 5.—Relative to Federal officers,

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back with the following amendment "that it be directed to the President of the United States" on the 4th line from the top, and recommend its passage.

W. W. HOLCOMB,
Chairman.

House refused to adopt the report as amended.

On motion of Mr. Kincade,

The memorial was laid on the table until to-morrow morning

Report of the committee on Military Affairs.

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Military affairs to whom was referred.

H. B. 30.—An act to allow Stevens Post No. 1. G. A. R., the use of certain arms belonging to the Territory.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back with the recommendation that it do pass.

JAS. O'NEIL,
Chairman.

Bill was read the third time and placed on its final passage.

All voting in the affirmative.

The bill passed and title agreed to.

Report of Special committee on Fees of Probate Judges in Walla Walla county.

MR. SPEAKER—

Your Special committee consisting of the members of the House of Representatives from Walla Walla county, to whom was referred

C. B. 26.—An act in relation to fees of Probate Judges of Walla Walla county

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back with recommendation that the bill do pass.

R. R. REES,
Chairman.

Bill read the third time and placed on its final passage.

All voting in the affirmative except Mr. Holcomb, absent.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Kuhn,

H. B. 16.—An act relating to elections and the mode of supplying vacancies.

Was made the special order for 2 P. M.

The Speaker gave notice that he was about to sign

H. B. 3.—An act to amend an act entitled "An act in relation to Territorial Treasurer, and

C. J. R. 11.—In relation to Joint action of Council and House in the matters of printing on the part of the Territory.

Mr. Kuhn's motion to adjourn till 2 P. M., prevailed.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

All but Messrs. Taylor and Steen present.

Speaker in the chair.

Clerk instructed to inform the Council of the passage of

C. J. R. 15.—Relative to Territorial and County officers furnishing Statutes for publication in the coming work entitled "Commerce and Industries of the Pacific Coast."

On leave the committee on Privileges and Election made the following report.

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Privileges and Elections to whom was referred

H. B. 16.—"An act relative to elections and the mode of supplying vacancies" beg leave to report the same back without recommendation, your committee not having had time to consider the same.

J. A. KARR,
Chairman.

Message from the Council:

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
October 17, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER—

I am instructed by the Council to inform the House that

C. B. 9.—An act prescribing powers and duties of District Judges at Chambers, and

C. J. R. 12.—Relative to the appointment of a Joint committee to apportion the Legislative Assembly of Washington Territory.

Have been reported by the committed on Enrolled bills as correctly enrolled and the same are herewith transmitted for your signature.

Also that the Council has passed

C. B. 4.—An act in relation to the adjournment of Courts in Washington Territory, and holding adjourned terms thereof.

C. B. 36.—An act allowing a salary to the auditor of Kitsap county in lieu of certain fees. Also

H. J. R. 9.—To inquire into the milage of its members.

And that the President has appointed Mr. Sharpstein as committee on the part of the Council.

H. B. 11.—An act for the relief of A. H. Chambers.

H. M. 3.—Asking an appropriation for building a Custom House at Port Townsend.

All of which are herewith transmitted.

And that the Council has passed

C. M. 1.—Asking the Secretary of War to continue the Government troops at Fort Colville.

C. J. R. 14.—Relating to pay of certain clerks.

C. B. 25.—Substitute for

C. B. 1.—An act authorizing the county commissioners of the several counties to appropriate money for improvement of roads and building and repairing bridges.

Also that

C. J. R. 15—Relative to Territorial and county officers furnishing statistics for publication in the coming work entitled "Commerce and Industries of the Northwest coast,"

Has been reported by the committee as correctly enrolled; and the same are herewith transmitted for your consideration and signature.

Also that the Council has passed

C. B. 30.—An act in relation to the election of county commissioners,

Which is also herewith transmitted.

R. G. O'BRIEN,
Chief Clerk.

On motion of Mr. Holcomb,

The House went into a committee of the whole to consider H. B. 16.

Mr. Warman in the chair.

And after being in session sometime, arose, reported progress, and asked permission to sit again hereafter, which was granted.

Message from the Territorial Secretary:

WASHINGTON TERRITORY,
SECREARY'S OFFICE,
Olympia, October 17, 1881.

Hon. Speaker of the House of Representatives
of the Territory of Washington:

DEAR SIR:

I have the honor to inform the Honorable House of Representatives that I have received a dispatch from the Secretary of the Treasury under date of Oct. 15, 1881, in which it is decided that the appropriation act of 1880 repeals Section 1887 of the revised statutes of the United States, and that the printing of the session laws of the eight biennial session must be limited to two thousand five hundred dollars. This ruling will leave a sufficiency of the appropriation of 1881 to pay full milage and not violate sections 1886 and 1888 of the Revised Statutes of the United States. This matter has no connection with the appropriation of three thousand dollars for printing the code.

I have the honor to be, very respectfully,

Your obedient servant,
N. H. OWINGS,
Secretary.

On motion of Mr. Preston,

The Joint committee on Mileage on the part of the House was discharged.

The Clerk was instructed to comply with the request of the Governor by furnishing him with all resolutions that had passed the House.

Message from the Council:

MR. SPEAKER—

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
October 17, 1881.

I am instructed by the Council to inform the House that the President has signed

H. B. 3.—An act to amend an act entitled "An act in relation to Territorial Treasurer."

And the same are herewith returned.

R. G. O'BRIEN,
Chief Clerk.

House took up

C. J. R. 14.—Relating to the pay of certain clerks.

First reading.

Resolution read second time under suspension of the rules.

Mr. Kuhn moved to amend by striking out "6" where it occurred and inserting "10."

Amendment adopted.

On motion of Mr. Kuhn,

The rules were further suspended, and the resolution as

amended read the third time, and placed on its final passage.

All voting in the affirmative, except Mr. Warman, who voted in the negative.

Resolution passed.

Speaker gave notice that he was about to sign

C. J. R. 12.—Relative to the appointment of a Joint committee on apportionment, to apportion the Legislative Assembly.

C. J. R. 5.—Relative to Territorial and county officers furnishing statistics for publication in the coming work entitled "Commerce and Industries of the Pacific Coast."

C. B. 9.—An act prescribed the powers of District Judges at Chambers.

On motion of Mr. Holcomb, the House adjourned.

GEORGE COMEGYS,
Speaker of the House.

E. R. BURK,
Chief Clerk.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Tuesday, October 18, 1881.

House called to order by the Speaker.

All members present but Mr. Steen, absent on leave.

After prayer by the Chaplain

The Journal of yesterday read and approved.

On leave the committee on Rules and Orders made the following report:

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Rules and Orders to whom was referred

H. J. R. 7.—Authorizing the Joint committee on Public Buildings and Grounds to visit the Territorial University and Hospital for the Insane.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back with the following amendment: Strike out all after the word "University" and insert, "and that the Joint committee of the House and Council on Hospital for the Insane are hereby authorized to visit as a committee the Hospital for the Insane and report by bill or otherwise.

STEPHEN JUDSON,
Chairman.

On motion the report was adopted and the resolution amended.

Mr. Kuhn moved,

To strike out the number and title of the resolution and make it a House resolution.

Motion carried.

The resolution now reads

Resolved, That the House committees on Territorial Library, Public Buildings and Grounds and Hospital for the Insane, are hereby authorized to visit as such committees the Hospital for the Insane and the Territorial University and report by bill or otherwise.

The ayes and noes being demanded resulted as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative:

Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Cornwall, Dillon, Freeman, Holcomb, Judson, Karr, Kincade, Kuhn, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Taylor, Van Eaton, Warman and Mr. Speaker—22.

Absent Mr. Rees—1.

Resolution adopted.

On motion of Mr. Alexander,

Friday, the 21st inst., was set as the day for the committee to visit public institutions.

Message from the Governor:

EXECUTIVE CHAMBER, Oct. 18, 1881.

I have this day approved

H. B. 3.—An act to amend an act entitled "An act in relation to Territorial Treasurer."

WM. A. NEWELL.

House took a recess subject to the call of the Speaker.

House called to order.

Mr. Smith of King moved that when the House adjourned on Thusday it be to Tuesday morning of next week.

The ayes and noes being called for resulted as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative:

Messrs. Alexander, Clark, Cornwall, Dillon, Kincade, Raymond, Smith of King, Mr. Speaker—8.

Those voting in the negative:

Messrs. Catlin, Freeman, Holcomb, Judson, Karr, Kuhn, O'Neil, Preston, Rees, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Taylor, Van Eaton, Warman—15.

Motion lost.

Mr. Kuhn moved that the House go to Seattle in a body on Friday.

The ayes and noes being called for resulted as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative:

Messrs. Allen, Clark, Cornwall, Kincade, Raymond, Smith of King, Mr. Speaker—7.

Those voting in the negative:

Messrs. Alexander, Catlin, Dillon, Freeman, Holcomb, Judson, Karr, Kuhn, O'Neil, Preston, Rees, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Taylor, Van Eaton, Warman—16.

Motion lost.

The Speaker gave notice of signing

H. M. 2.—Relative to establishing a U. S. Land office at Port Townsend.

H. B. 17.—An act to amend an act to regulate the building of barbed wire fences.

Report of committee on Enrolled bills.

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Enrolled bills to whom was referred,

H. B. 17.—An act to amend an act to regulate the building of barbed wire fences and

H. M. 2.—Relative to establishing a U. S. Land office at Port Townsend.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back correctly enrolled.

R. R. Rees,
Chairman.

PROPOSITIONS AND MOTIONS.

Mr. Kuhn introduced,

H. B. 35.—An act to encourage the building of railroads over the Cascade Mountains.

Read first time, and second time by title under suspension of rules.

On motion of Mr. Rees,

The bill was referred to the committee on Roads and highways, with instructions to print.

Mr. Rees introduced,

H. B. 36.—An act to organize the militia of the Territory of Washington.

Read first time.

Read second time by title under suspension of rules.

On motion of Mr. Kuhn,

The bill was referred to the committee on Military Affairs with instructions to print.

Mr. Cornwall introduced

H. B. 37.—An act to prevent the spreading of Chinese or Canada thistle.

Read first time.

Read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

On motion of Mr. Kincade,

The bill was referred to the committee on Agriculture with instructions to print.

Mr. Kincade called up

H. M. 5.—In relation to Federal appointments.

Mr. Kincade moved to reconsider the vote by which the amendment "To the President of the United States," was lost.

Motion carried and amendment adopted.

The memorial as amended was read the third time and placed on its final passage.

Those voting in the affirmative:

Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Cornwall, Freeman, Judson, Kincade, Kulin, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, and Taylor—15.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Catlin, Clark, Dillon, Holcomb, Karr, Van Eaton, Warman and Mr. Speaker—8.

The memorial passed.

Message from the Council:

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
October 18, 1881.

I am instructed by the Council to inform the House that the Council has passed

H. B. 12.—An act for the relief of Billings and Olson, amended by inserting in section one after the word "payment," in line six, the words "of William Pix, a signee;" also after the word "of" in title, the words "William Pix, assignee."

H. B. 23.—An act to repeal an act entitled An act to create the office of Fish Commissioner for the Columbia river, to license the taking of salmon in the Columbia river and its tributaries, and to encourage the establishment of hatching houses in the waters of the Columbia river for the propagation of salmon, approved Nov. 14th, 1879.

H. B. 28.—An act to repeal an act entitled An act to create the Board of Immigration Commissioners and provide for the printing and distribution of certain pamphlets. Approved Nov. 12, 1875.

C. B. 5—An act for the relief of Allen Weir.

C. B. 33.—An act to repeal an act entitled "An act prohibiting the owners of hogs in certain counties from permitting the same to run at large so far as the same affects Cowlitz county.

C. B. 40.—An act authorizing the county commissioners of Whitman county to sell and convey the real estate upon which the county court house is located and purchase other real estate on which to locate a court house and other county buildings.

C. B. 41.—An act to authorize the directors of school district No. 1, in Whitman county, to sell and convey certain real estate belonging to said district.

C. B. 43.—An act to establish the District Court at Cheney, Spokan county.

And the same are herewith transmitted.

R. G. O'BRIEN,
Chief Clerk.

On motion the House took a recess until 2 P. M.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

House called to order by the Speaker.

At roll call all the members answered to their names but Mr. Warman.

BILLS AND OTHER BUSINESS FROM THE COUNCIL.

C. J. R. 13.—Relative to the proper recognition of officers and soldiers who served as volunteers from Washington Territory during the Nez Perce war of 1877.

Read first time.

The resolution was read the third time by title under suspension of the rules.

On motion of Mr. Smith, of Whitman,

The resolution was referred to the committee on Military affairs.

C. B. 30.—An act in relation to the election of county commissioners,

Read first time.

Bill read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

On motion of Mr. Kulin,

The bill was referred to the committee on Counties.

C. B. 36.—An act allowing a salary to the auditor of Kitsap county in lieu of certain fees.

Read first time, and under suspension of the rules read the second time by title.

On motion of Mr. Raymond,

The bill read the third time by title, and placed on its final passage.

All voting in the affirmative the bill passed and title was agreed to.

C. B. 4.—An act in relation to the adjournment of Courts in Washington Territory, and holding adjourned terms thereof.

Was read the first time.

The bill was read the second time by title under suspension of the rules.

On motion of Mr. Raymond,

The bill was referred to the committee on Judiciary.

Message from the Council.

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
October 18, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER—

I am instructed by the Council to inform the House that the Council has refused to concur in the House amendment to

C. J. R. 14.—Relative to pay of certain clerks,

And that

C. B. 14.—An act in relation to assaults by words and gestures, And

C. B. 32.—An act to authorize the county commissioners of Whitman county to reimburse the sheriff of said county in the sum of $200.

Have been reported by the committee as correctly enrolled, and the same are herewith transmitted for your signature.

R. G. O'BRIEN, *Chief Clerk.*

C. B. 25.—Substitute for

C. B. 1.—An act authorizing the County Commissioners of the several Counties, to appropriate money for the improvement of Roads and building and repairing Bridges.

Read first time.

The bill was read the secondtime under suspension of the rules.

On motion of Mr. Smith, of King,

The bill was referred to the committee on Roads and Highways.

C. B. 40.—An act to authorize the County Commissioners of Whitman county to sell and convey the real estate upon which the county court house is located and purchase other real estate on which to locate a court house and other county buildings.

Read first time.

The bill was read a second time by title under suspension of the rules.

On motion of Mr. Kuhn,

The bill was referred to the Representatives of Whitman county.

C. B. 41.—An act to authorize the Directors of School District No. 1 in Whitman county to sell and convey certain real estate belonging to said district.

Read first time.

Under suspension of the rules, read the second time.

On motion of Mr. Kuhn,

The bill was referred to a special committee of members from Whitman county.

C. B. 43.—An act to remove the District Court from Spokan Falls to Cheney.

Read first time.

And, under suspension of the rules, read the second time by title.

On motion the bill was laid on the table.

Message from the Council:

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
October 18, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER—

I am instructed by the Council to inform the House that that the President has signed

H. M. 2.—Relative to establishing a U. S. Land office at Port Townsend.

H. B. 17.—An act to amend an act entitled An act to regulate the building of barbed wire fences.

Which are herewith returned.

R. G. O'BRIEN, *Chief Clerk.*

Mr. Kuhn moved

To reconsider the vote by which the House decided not to visit public institutions in a body.

Motion carried and the vote reconsidered.

On leave Mr. Smith of King introduced,

H. J. R. 11.—Relative to recess from Thursday to Tuesday the 25th.

Read first time.

Resolution read the second time under suspension of the rules.

Mr. Raymond moved to amend by adding the Governor, officers of both Houses and press reporters.

Amendment adopted.

On motion of Mr. Smith of Whitman,

The rules were further suspended and the resolution read the third time and placed on its final passage.

Those voting in the affirmative:

Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Clark, Cornwall, Kincade, Kuhn, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Taylor, Warman, and Mr. Speaker—15.

Those voting in the negative:

Messrs. Catlin, Dillon, Freeman, Holcomb, Judson, Karr, Rees, and Van Eaton—8.

The resolution passed.

Speaker appointed Messrs. Smith of King, and O'Neil committee on the part of the House on the above resolution.

Council refused to concur in House amendment to

C. J. R. 14.—Relating to the pay of certain clerks.

On motion of Mr. Judson,

The Speaker appointed Messrs. Warman, Smith of Whitman and Kuhn conference committee on the part of the House on the resolution.

The Clerk was instructed to inform the Council of the appointment of the committee.

Speaker gave notice of signing

C. B. 14.—An act in relation to assaults by words and gestures and,

C. B. 32.—An act to authorize the County commissioners of the county of Whitman to reimburse the Sheriff of said county in the sum of $200.

Message from the Council:

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
October 18, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER—

I am instructed by the Council to inform the House that the Council has passed with amendment

H. J. R. 11.—Relative to taking recess from Thursday to Tuesday afternoon Oct. 25.

And the same is herewith returned for your concurrence,

Also that the President has appointed Messrs. Kearns, Sharpstein and Evans as committee of conference on

C. J. R. 14.—Relating to pay of certain clerks, requested by the House,

R. G. O'BRIEN, *Chief Clerk.*

H. J. R.—Relative to taking recess from Thursday to Tuesday afternoon Oct. 25.

Having been returned from the Council amended, it was laid over until to morrow for action.

C. B. 5.—An act for the relief of Allen Weir,

Read first time.

And, under suspension of the rules, read the second time by title.

On motion of Mr. Smith, of Whitman,

The bill was referred to the committee on Ways, Means and Claims.

H. B. 12.—An act for the relief of Billings and Olson

Was returned from the Council amended.

On motion of Mr. Judson,

The House concurred in the Council amendments.

C. M. 1.—Asking the Secretary of War to continue the Government troops at Fort Colville.

Read first time.

And second time by title under suspension of the rules.

On motion of Mr. Smith, of King,

The rules were further suspended and the memorial read the third time and placed on its final passage.

All voting in the affirmative, the memorial passed.

C. B. 33.—An act to repeal an act entitled An act prohibiting the owners of hogs in certan counties from permitting the same to run at large so far as the same affects Cowlitz county.

Read first time.

And second time by title under suspension of the rules.

On motion of Mr. Kuhn,

The rules were further suspended and the bill read the third time and placed on its final passage.

All voting in the negative the House refused to pass the bill.

On motion the House adjourned.

GEORGE COMEGYS,
Speaker of the House.

E. R. BURK,
Chief Clerk.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Wednesday, October 19, 1881.

House called to order by the Speaker.

At roll call all members answered to their names.

After prayer by the Chaplain

The Journal of yesterday read and approved.

PETITIONS, MEMORIALS AND REMONSTRANCES.

Mr. Dillon presented a petition from the Sisters of Charity of Vancouver.

On motion of Mr. Judson,

The petition was referred to the committee on Ways, Means and Claims with instructions to report by bill or otherwise.

Report of committee of Conference.

MR PRESIDENT—

Your Joint committee of conference to whom was referred the disagreement between the two Houses on

C. J. R.14—Relating to the pay of certain clerks,

Have had the same under consideration and report that they have agreed to the following to be inserted as an amendment to said resolution: "Strike out 'Six' in original and insert 'Eight' dollars per day for each and every days actual service in the revision and codifying of the laws until said codification shall have been reported to the Legislative Assembly.

Each Joint committee shall have full authority to dismiss said Clerks for inefficiency or negligence of duty.

J. A. KERNS,
THOMAS WARMAN,

On motion the report was adopted and the clerk instructed to report the same to the Council.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Report of committee on Enrolled bills.

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Enrolled bill to whom was referred

H. B. 11.—An act for the relief of A. H. Chambers.

H. M. 3.—Asking an appropriation for building a Custom House at Port Townsend.

H. J. R. 9.—To inquire into the milage of its members.

H. B. 10.—An act to repeal an act entitled "An act in relation to the organization of new counties and the changes in county lines,"

H. B. 23.—An act to repeal an act entitled An act to create the office of Fish Commissioner, for the Columbia river etc., and

H. B. 28.—An act to repeal an act entitled An act to create a board of Immigration Commissioners and provide for the printing and distribution of certain pamphlets.

Have compared the same with the original bills, and report the same back correctly enrolled.

R. R. REES, *Chairman.*

The Speaker gave notice that he was about to sign above bills.

Report of committee on Counties.

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Counties to whom was referred,

C. B. 30.—An act in relation to the election of county Commissioners.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back with recommendation that it do not pass.

T. J. SMITH, *Chairman.*

Report of commiitee on Military affairs.

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Military Affairs to whom was referred

C. J. R. 13.—Relative to the proper recognition of officers and soldiers who served as volunteers from Washington Territory during the Nez Perces Indian war of 1877,

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back and recommend that it do pass.

JAS. O'NEIL, *Chairman.*

Report of the committee on Education.

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Education to whom was referred communication of Hattie S. Caruthers asking reimbursement for taxes paid in Columbia county report the same back with the recommendation that Miss Caruthers be referred to the Commissioners of Columbia county as the only proper board to reimburse the taxes paid, and that if there is no law governing such cases, that one be passed exempting all blind persons in the Territory from the payment of taxes in cases where their property does not exceed a valuation of five thousand dollars.

J. A. KARR, *Chairman.*

Referred back to the same committee with instructions to report by bill or otherwise.

Report of committee on Ways, Means and Claims,

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Ways, Means and Claims, to whom was referred

C. B. 5.—An act for the relief of Allen Weir,

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back with the recommendation that it do not pass.

W. G. PRESTON, *Chairman.*

Report of committee on Ways, Means and Claims.

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Ways, Means and Claims to whom was referred

H. B. 33.—An act to amend an act entitled An act to appropriate one-half of the Territorial tax of Snohomish county for the year 1880 for the purpose of building a Territorial road therein.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same same back with the recommendation that Section one be amended so as to read after Stilagnamish Valley: *Provided, however,* That the county of Snohomish shall appropriate

enough money to open said road and that said road shall open to traveles on or before the 1st day of Nov. A. D. 1882; *And, provided further*, That if said road is not open to travel on the first day of Nov. 1882, then the county Treasurer of Snohomish county shall forthwith pay to the Territorial treasurer the said Territorial tax for the year 1880."

W. G. PRESTON, *Chairman.*

PROPOSITIONS AND MOTIONS.

Mr. Rees introduced.

H. B. 38.—An act relating to city and town plats.

Read first time.

Read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

On motion of Mr. Raymond,

The bill was referred to the committee on Corporations with instructions to print.

Mr. Rees in the chair,

Mr. Taylor introduced,

H. B. 40.—An act to organize Kititas county.

Read first time in part.

Read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

On motion of Mr. Kuhn,

The bill was referred to the member from Yakima county and the speaker of the House.

Mr. Kuhn introduced,

H. B. 41.—An act to authorize the county commissioners of Clallam county to borrow money.

Read first time.

Read second time by title under suspension of rules.

On motion of Mr. Kuhn,

The rules were further suspended and the bill read the third time by title and placed on its final passage,

Those voting in the affirmative:

Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Clark, Cornwall, Dillon, Freeman, Holcomb, Judson, Karr, Kincade, Kuhn, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Taylor, Van Eaton Warman and Mr. Speaker—23.

Pill passed and title agreed to.

Mr. Smith (of Whitman) introduced

H. B. 39.—An act to amend an act to prevent studs, horses, stud mules, jackasses, ridglings, or stags from running at large, approved Nov. 28, 1871.

Read first time.

Read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

Mr. Preston moved to amend the bill where it reads "reasonable price for gelding by striking out and inserting $1.50.

Amendment adopted.

On motion of Mr. Freeman,

The bill was referred to the committee on Military affairs.

Mr. Raymond introduced,

H. J, R. 12.—Relative to representation in the Washington movement.

Read first time.

Read the second time by title under suspension of the rules.

On motion of Mr. Kuhn,

The resolution was referred to the committee on printing.

Mr. Freeman introduced,

H. J. R. 13.—Relative to free scholarship in the University.

Read first time.

Read second time under suspension of the rules.

On motion of Mr. Smith, of Whitman,

The further consideration of the resolution was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Kuhn introduced,

H. B. 42.—An act for the better preservation of the records of the Supreme court of Washington Territory.

Read first time.

Read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

On motion of Mr. Judson,

The bill was referred to the committee on Ways, Means and Claims.

BILLS, REPORTS AND OTHERS BUSINESS LYING ON THE TABLE.

Committee on Counties reported back

C. B. 30.—An act in relation to the election of county Commissioners,

With the recommendation that it do not pass.

Mr. O'Neil move to adopt the report of the committee.

The ayes and noes being called for resulted as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative:

Messrs. Alexander, Catlin, Cornwall, Freeman, Judson, Karr, Kincade, Kuhn, O'Neil, Preston, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Taylor, Van Eaton, Warman and Speaker—18.

Those voting in the negative were:

Messrs. Allen, Clark, Dillon, Holcomb, and Raymond—5.

The report was adopted thereby killing the bill.

Committee on Military affairs reported favorably on

C. J. R. 13—Relative to the proper recognition of officers and soldiers who served as volunteers from Washington Territory during the Nez Perce war of 1877.

Read third time and placed on its final passage.

Those voting in the affirmative:

Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Clark, Cornwall, Dillon, Freeman, Holcomb, Judson, Karr, Kincaid, Kuhn, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat

Smith of Whitman, Taylor, Van Eaton Warman and Speaker—23

The resolution passed.

The report of the committee on Education to whom was referred the petitions of Samuel Warren and other citizens of Pierce county, in regard to license money and regulating the sale of liquors was,

On motion of Mr. Judson, laid on the table.

Committee on Ways, Means and Claims reported back with amendment

C. B. 5.—An act to amend an act entitled An act to appro- one-half of the Territorial tax of Snohomish county for the year 1880 for the purpose of building a Territorial road therein.

On motion, the report was adopted and the amendment incorporated in the bill.

On motion of Mr. Alexander,

The bill was referred to the Engrossing committee.

Message from the Council.

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
October 19, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER—

I am instructed by the Council to inform the House that

C. B. 26.—An act in relation to fees of probate Judges in Walla Walla county, and

C. B. 29.—An act in relation to the salary of the Probate Judge of Whitman county.

Have been reported by the committee on Enrolled bills as correctly enrolled and the same are herewith transmitted for your signature also, that the Council has passed

H. B. 30.—An act to allow Stevens Post No. 1. G. A. R., the use of certain arms belonging to the Territory.

H. M. 5.—Relating to Federal officers, Herewith returned.

C. B. 45.—An act to amend an act entitled An act in relation to Grand and Petit Jurors, approved Nov. 9. 1877.

C. J. R. 16.—In relation to Joint committee on printing contracting for printing certain reports for said Territory.

C. J. R 17.—Relative to a revenue bill and road law

Herewith transmitted for your consideration.

R. G. O'BRIEN, *Chief Clerk.*

On motion of Mr. Comegys the House adjourned until 2 P.M.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

House called to order by the Speaker.

All members present at roll call.

Message from the Governor.

TERRITORY OF WASHINGTON,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
Olympia, October 19, 1881.

To the Legislative Assembly:

I have this day approved

H. B. 17.—An act to regulate the building of barbed wire fences. also

H. M. 2.—Relative to establishing a U. S. Land office at Port Townsend.

W. A. NEWELL.

Committee on Ways, Means and Claims reported favorably on

C. B. 5.—An act for the relief of Allen Weir

The ayes and noes being called for resulting as follows:

Voting in the affirmative:

Messrs. Alexander, Catlin, Cornwall, Dillon, Freeman, Holcomb, Judson, Karr, Kincaid, Preston, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Van Eaton—14.

Those voting in the negative:

Messrs. Allen, Clark, Kuhn, O'Neil, Raymond, Rees, Taylor, Warman and Mr. Speaker—9.

The report was adopted thereby defeating the bill.

Message from the Council.

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
October 19, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER—

I am instructed by the Council to inform the House that the Council has passed

C. J. R. 18.—Relative to visiting Public Institutions

And that the President has signed

H. J. R. 9—To inquire into the mileage of the members

H. M. 3.—Memorial asking an appropriation for building a Custom House at Port Townsend.

H. B. 28.—An act to repeal an act entitled An act to create a board of Immigration Commissioners and provide for the printing and distribution of certain pamphlets.

H. B. 23.—An act to repeal an act entitled An act to create the office of Fish Commissioner, for the Columbia river etc., and

H. B. 10.—An act to repeal an act entitled "An act in relation to the organization of new counties and the changes of county lines"

H. B. 11.—An act for the relief of A. H. Chambers.

R. G. O'BRIEN,
Chief Clerk.

BILL AND OTHER BUSINESS FROM THE COUNCIL.

Relative to visiting public institutions.

Read first time and also second time under suspension of the rules.

Mr. Judson moved to strike out the word "penitentiary" where it occurred.

Amendment lost.

Mr. Holcomb offerred the following amendment:

"*Provided*, That this shall not conflict with any arrangements on the part of the House, for the committees specially

designated to ascertain the need and report by bill or otherwise."

Amendment lost.

On motion of Mr. Kuhn,

The rules were further suspended and the resolution read the third time by title and placed on its final passage.

Those voting the affirmative:

Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Clark, Dillon, Freeman, Kincaid, Preston, Raymond, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Taylor, Van Eaton, Mr. Speaker.—13.

Those voting in the negative:

Messrs. Catlin, Cornwall, Holcomb, Judson, Karr, Kuhn, O'Neil, Rees, Smith of Whitman, Warman—10.

Resolution passed and and the clerk instructed to report the same to the Council immediately.

The Speaker appointed Messrs. Smith of King, and O'Neil as committee on the part of the House.

C. J. R. 16.—In relation to joint committee on Printing to contract for printing certain reports.

Read first time and also second time by title, under suspension of the rules.

Mr. Kuhn moved to lay the resolution on the table. Motion carried.

C. J. R. 17.—Relative to a revenue bill and road law.

Read first time, also second time by title under suspension of the rules.

On motion of Mr. Holcomb,

The rules were further suspended and the resolution read the third time by title and placed on its final passage.

Those voting in the affirmative:

Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Clark, Cornwall, Dillon, Freeman, Holcomb, Judson, Karr, Kincade Kuhn, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Rees, Smithof King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Taylor, Van Eaton, Warman Mr. Speaker—23.

The resolution passed,

C. B. 45.—An act to amend an act entitled An act in relation to grand and petit jurors, approved Nov. 9, 1877.

Read the first time also the second time under suspension of the rules.

On motion the bill was referred to the committee on Judiciary with instructions to print.

Speaker gave notice he was about to sign

C. B. 26.—An act in relation to fees of Probate Judges of Walla Walla county, and

C. B. 29.—An act in relation to salary of Probate Judge of Whitman county.

Mr. Clark introduced the following resolution:

Resolved By the House That as there is not now any engrossing of any consequence to be done, and as the chief clerk is

pressed with business in the Journal by requests that the minutes be spread out in full therefore be it

Resolved. That the chief clerk is hereby authorized to request help from such source when it is needed: *Provided*, That such help shall not conflict with said clerk's engrossing duties.

Mr. Preston moved to excuse all members who did not wish to visit public institutions.

Motion carried.

On motion of Mr. Kuhn, the House adjourned.

GEORGE COMEGYS,
Speaker of the House.

E. R. BURK,
Chief Clerk.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Thursday, October 20, 1881.

House called to order by the Speaker.

At roll call all members answered to their names but Mr. Steen—absent on leave.

Prayer by the chaplain.

Journal of yesterday read and approved.

Mr. Kuhn gave the following notice:

I give notice that I will after five days introduce a bill to provide for paying Allen Weir, for services rendered in organizing the present session of the Legislative Assembly.

Mr. Smith of King, reported verbally that the Legislature would visit the penitentiary at Seatco on Friday morning and from there go to Seattle to visit the University, returning to Steilacoom on Monday by steamer.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Enrolled bills to whom was referred

H. B. 30.—An act to allow Stevens Post No 1, G. A. R., the use of certain arms belonging to the Territory.

H. M. 5.—In relation to Federal appointments.

H. B. 12.—An act for the relief of Wm. Picks, assignees of Billings and Olson.

Have compared the dame with the original bill and report them back as correctly enrolled.

R. R. Rees, *Chairman.*

Speaker gave notice he was about to sigh the above bills.

Report of committee on Engrossed bills

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Engrossed bills to whom was referred

H. B. 33.—An act to amend an act entitled An act to appropriate one half of the Territorial tax of Snohomish county for year 1880 for the purpose of building a Territorial road therein

Have had the same under consideration and report the back properly and correctly engrossed.

W. G. PRESTON, *Chairman.*

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Military Affairs to whom was referred the report of R. G. O'Brien, Quarter Master General of Washington Territory,

Have had the same under consideration and find that the statements therein set forth to be as stated, and, in furtherance of the recommendation therein contained, herewith report a bill.

JAS. O'NEIL, *Chairman.*

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Judiciary to whom was referred

H. B. 8.—An act to exempt the blind from school tax, and

H. B. 31.—An act to provide for rebate of term of imprisonment of prisoners at the Territorial penitentiary.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back and recommend that the same do not pass.

J. A. KUHN, *Ch'n Committee.*

MR. SPEAKER—

Your special committee to whom was referred

H. B. 40.—An act to organize Kititas county,

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back without recommendation.

G. S. TAYLOR,
GEO. COMEGYS,

On motion of Mr. Kuhn,

The bill was referred to the committee on Counties.

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Military affairs to whom was referred

H. B. 39.—An act to prevent certain animals from running at large,

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back with the title amended to read "An act to prevent certain animals from running at large" and recommend its passage.

JAS. O'NEIL *Chairman.*

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Judiciary to whom was referred

C. B. 4.—An act in relation to the organizing of Courts in Washington Territory, and holding adjourned terms thereof.

C. B. 27.—An act to amend an act entitled An act defining the Jurisdiction and practice in the Probate courts of Washington Territory. Approved Nov. 9, 1871.

C. B. 28.—An act to amend an act entitled An act defining the Jurisdiction and practice in the Probate Courts of Washington Territory. Approved Nov. 11, 1873.

C. B. 31.—An act to amend an act entitled An act defin-

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Mr. Speaker:
Your committee on Commerce to whom wa
H. B. 32.—An act in relation to quarranti
Have had the same under consideration, e
same back and recommend it pass.

Thomas Warman.

PROPOSITIONS AND MOTIONS.

Mr. Kuhn introduced,

H. B. 43.—An act to amend Section 145 of the Probate Practice act.

Read first time.

Read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

On motion of Mr. Smith of Whitman,

The bill was referred to the committee on Judiciary.

Committee on Military affairs introduced,

H. B. 44.—An act providing for the payment of repairs and storage on Territorial property in the custody of the quarter master general.

Read first time.

Read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

On motion of Mr Rees,

The bill was referred to the committee on Ways, Means and Claims.

Committee on Engrossed bills reported back as correctly engrossed,

H. B. 33.—An act to amend an act entitled An act to appropriate one-half the Territorial tax of Snohomish county for the year 1880 for the purpose of building a Territorial road therein.

Read the third time and placed on its final passage.

Those voting in the affirmative:

Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Clark, Cornwall, Dillon, Freeman, Judson, Karr, Kincade, Kuhn, O'Neil, Preston Raymond, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Taylor, Van Eaton, Warman—20.

Those voting in the negative:

Messrs. Holcomb, Rees, Mr. Speaker—3.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

Mr. Kuhn moved to take from the table.

H. B. 2.—An act to repeal an act entitled "an a c t a Territorial Board of Equilization."

Motion carried, and the bill read the third time d on its final passage.

Those voting in the affirmative:

Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Clark, Cornwall Dillon, Freeman, Holcomb, Judson, Karr, Kincaid, Kuhn, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Taylor, Van Eaton, Warman, Mr. Speaker—23.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

Mr. Rees in the chair.

Mr. Comegys called up

C. B. 43.—An act to remove the District Court from Spokan Falls to Cheney.

Read third time and placed on its final passage.

Those voting in the affirmative:

Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Clark, Cornwall, Dillon, Freeman, Holcomb, Judson, Karr, Kincad, Kuhn, Preston, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Taylor, Van Eaton, Warman and Mr. Speaker—22.

Those voting in the negative—Mr. O'Neil—1.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

Committee on Judiciary reported back do not pass

H. B. 8.—An act to exempt blind from school tax.

Mr. Holcomb moved to adopt the report of the committee.

Report adopted and bill thereby killed.

The same committee reported back recommending that it do not pass

H. B. 31.—An act for the rebate of term of imprisonment at Territorial Penitentiary.

On motion of Mr. Kuhn,

The report was adopted and the bill accordingly killed.

Committee on Military affairs reported back with amendment.

H. B. 39.—An act to prevent certain animals from running at large

On motion the amendment was adopted.

On motion of Mr. Kuhn,

The bill was referred to the committee on Engrossed bills.

Committee on Judiciary reported favorable on

C. B. 4.—An act in relative to the organizing of courts in Washington Territory, and holding adjourned terms thereof.

Read third time and placed on its final passage.

Those voting in the affirmative:

Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Clark, Cornwall, Dillon, Holcomb, Karr, Kincaid, Kuhn, O'Neil, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Whitman, Van Eaton, Warman, Mr. Speaker—18.

Those voting in the negative:

Messrs. Freeman, Smith of Klickitat, Taylor—3.

Absent, Messrs. Judson and Preston—2.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

Message from the Council:

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
October 20, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER—

I am instructed by the Council to inform the House that

C. M. 1.—Asking the Secretary of War to continue the Government troops at Fort Colville.

C. J.R. 14.—Relative to pay of certain clerks,

C. J. R. 18.—Relative to visiting public institutions,

C. B. 36.—An act allowing a salary to the County Auditor of Kitsap County in lieu of certain fees.

Have been correctly enrolled and they are herewith transmitted for your signature,

And that the Council has passed,

C. B. 47.—An act for the additional relief of Wm. Pix assignee of Billings and Olsen.

C. B. 48.—An act relating to the time for the commencement of actions for the recovery of possession of real property in Washington Territory to ten years.

C. B. 42.—An act for the relief of M. R. Tilley.

H. B. 25.—An act in relation to evidences in certain cases,

With amendment,

And the same are herewith transmitted for your action and concurrence.

R. G. O'BRIEN, *Chief Clerk.*

On motion the House took recess until 2. P. M.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

House called to order by the Speaker.

At roll call all members answered to their names, but Mr. Holcomb.

BILLS, REPORTS, AND OTHER BUSINESS LYING ON THE TABLE.

Committee on Judiciary reported favorable on

C. B. 27.—An act to amend an act entitled An act defining the Jurisdiction and practice in the Probate courts of Washington Territory. Approved Nov. 9, 1871.

Read third time and placed on its final passage.

Those voting in the affirmative:

Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Clark, Cornwall, Dillon, Freeman, Judson, Karr, Kincade, Kuhn, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Taylor, Van Eaton, and Speaker—21.

Those voting in the negative: Mr. Warman—1.

Absent—Mr. Holcomb—1.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

The same committee reported favorable on

C. B. 28.—An act to amend an act entitled An act defining the jurisdiction and practice in the probate courts of Washington Territory,

Those voting the affirmative:

Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Clark, Cornwall, Dillon, Freeman, Judson, Karr, Kincaid Kuhn O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Taylor, Van Eaton, Warman Mr. Speaker—22.

Excused from voting: Mr. Holcomb—1.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

The same committee reported favorable on

C. B. 31.—An act to amend an act entitled An act defining the jurisdiction and practice in probate courts of Washington Territory. Approved Nov. 11, 1873.

Read third time and placed on its final passage.

Those voting in the affirmative:

Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Cornwall, Dillon, Freeman, Holcomb, Judson, Karr, Kincaid, Kuhn, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Taylor, Van Eaton, Warman, Mr. Speaked—22.

Those voting in the negative: Clark—1.

Bill passed and title agree to.

Mr. Kuhn moved to take up

C. J. R. 16.—In relation to Joint committee on printing to contracting for printing certain reports.

Motion carried and resolution taken up.

Mr. Preston moved to amend by adding after the report of the Territorial University the words "memorials, resolutions and such other such matter as the legislature may direct."

Amendment adopted. Resolution read third time and placed on its final passage.

Voting in the affirmative:

Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Clark, Cornwall, Dillon, Freeman, Holcomb, Judson, Karr, Kincade, Kuhn, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Taylor, Van Eaton Warman and Mr. Speaker—23.

Resolution adopted and clerk instructed to report the same back immediately.

A communication received from the Governor was referred to the committee on Judiciary.

BILLS AND OTHER BUSINESS FROM THE COUNCIL.

H. B. 25.—An act in relation to evidence in certain cases.

Returned to the House amended.

Mr. Kuhn moved to concur in the Council amendment.

The ayes and noes being taken resulted as follows:

Those voting in the affirmative:

Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Clark, Cornwall, Dillon, Freeman, Holcomb, Karr, Kuhn, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Taylor, Van Eaton Warman—18.

Those voting in the negative:

Messrs. Judson, Kincaid, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, and Mr. Speaker—5.

House concurred in the amendment.

On motion of Mr. Kuhn, the clerk was instructed to report all bills passed to the Council.

Motion carried.

C. B. 47.—An act for the relief of Wm. Pix.

Read first time and also second time under suspension of the rules.

On motion of Mr. Judson,

The bill was referred to the committee on Ways, Means and Claims.

Message from the Council:

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
October 20, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER—

I am instructed by the Council to inform the House that the Council has passed

C. B. 56.—Substitute for

C. B. 22.—An act to amend an act entitled An act to regulate the practice and proceedings in civil action approved Nov. 8, 1877.

C. B. 39.—An act to amend an act entitled An act relating to Justices of the Peace, and to their practice and jurisdiction," approved Nov. 13, 1879,

And the same are herewith transmitted for your action,

And that the Council has concurred in the House amendmet to

C. J. R. 16.—In relation to joint committee on Printing contract for printing certain reports.

R. G. O'BRIEN, *Chief Clerk.*

C. B. 42.—An act for the relief of M. R. Tilley.

Read first time. Read second time, by title under suspension of the rules.

On motion of Mr. Smith, of Whitman,

The bill was referred to the committee on Ways, Means and Claims.

C. B. 39.—An act to amend an act entitled An act relating to Justices of the Peace and to their practice and jurisdiction approved Nov. 13, 1873.

Read first time.

Read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

On motion of Mr. Karr,

The bill was referred to the committee on Judiciary.

Speaker signed

C. M. 1.—Asking the Secretary of War to continue the Government troops at Fort Colville.

C. J. R. 14.—Relating to pay of certain clerks.

C. J. R. 18.—Relative to visiting Public Institutions.

C. B. 36.—An act allowing a salary to the county auditor of Kitsap county in lieu of certain fees.

Message from the Council.

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
October 20, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER—

I am instructed by the Council to inform the House that the President has signed.

H. M. 5.—In relation to Federal Officers.

H. B. 30.—An act to allow Stevens Post No. 1, G. A. R., the use of certain arms belonging to the Territory.

H. B. 12.—An act for the relief of Wm. Picks, assignees of Billings and Olson, which are herewith returned.

R. G. O'BRIEN, *Chief Clerk.*

C. B. 56.—Substitute for

C. B. 22.—An act to amend an act entitled An act to regulate the practice and proceedings in civil actions approved Nov. 8, 1877.

Read the first time also the second time by title under suspension of the rules.

On motion of Mr. Freeman,

The bill was referred to the committee on Judiciary.

On leave Mr. Holcomb introduced.

H. B. 45.—An act in relation to actions for divorce and the trial thereof.

Read first time, also second time by title under suspension of the rules.

On motion of Mr. Smith, of Whitman.

The bill was referred to the committee on Judiciary.

Committee on Commerce reported favorable on

H. B. 32.—An act in relation to quarantine of vessels.

On motion of Mr. Holcomb, the bill was laid on the table until next week.

On motion of Mr. Kuhn, the House went into committee of the whole on

H. B. 16.—An act relating to elections and the mode of supplying vacancies.

Mr. Smith of King, in the chair.

After considering the bill for some time the committee arose reported progress and asked permission to sit again.

Mr. Preston gave notice that in five days he would move to reconsider the vote by which An act in relation to evidence in certain cases was passed.

On motion of Mr. Smith of King,

Offibers of the House, reporters, and territorial officers weer invited to accompany the Assembly on their visit to the public institutions.

On motion of Mr. Kuhn,

The House adjourned until 2. P. M., on the 25th of October.

GEORGE COMEGYS,
Speaker of the House.

E. R. BURK,
Chief Clerk.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Tuesday, October 25, 1881.

House mien pursuant to adjounrment and was called to order by the Speaker.

At roll call all members answered to their names but Mr. Steen—absent on leave, and Messrs. Catlin and O'Neil.

Prayer by the chaplain.

Journal of last Thursday read and approved.

Mr. Smith of King, presented petitions from citizens of Washington Territory, praying for the modification of the Revenue law, so as to exempt churches and benevolent institutions for taxation; referred to committee on Counties.

PROPOSITIONS AND MOTIONS.

Mr. Karr introduced,

H. B. 46.—An act defining slander, and providing for the punishment thereof.

Read first time.

Read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

On motion the bill was referred to the committee on Judiciary with instructions to print.

Mr. Smith of King introduced.

H. B. 37.—An act to confirm to the Seattle and Walla Walla railroad, the title to tide lands in and about Elliott Bay.

Read first time.

Read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

On motion of Mr. Preston,

Referred to the committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Judson introduced,

H. J. R. 14.—Confering additional powers on committee of either branch of the Legislative assembly.

Read first time.

Read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

On motion of Mr. Holcomb,

The rules were further suspended and the resolution read the third time and placed on its final passage,

Those voting aye:

Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Clark, Cornwall, Dillon, Free-

man, Holcomb, Judson, Karr, Kincade, Kuhn, Preston, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Taylor, Van Eaton, Warman Mr. Speaker—21.

Absent—Messrs. Catlin, and O'Neil—2.

The resolution passed,

Mr. Preston moved to reconsider the vote by which the House concurred in Council amendment to

H. B. 25.—An act in relation to evidence in certain cases

Pursuant to his notice on the 20th.

Mr. Kuhn arose to a point of order, in that the Council had been notified by the clerk of the action of the House before the notice to reconsider was given. The Chair held that the point of order was not well taken.

Mr. Holcomb appealed from the decision of the chair.

The decision of the chair was sustained.

The question recurring on the motion to reconsider it was accordingly reconsidered.

Mr. Rees in the chair,

On motion of Mr. Comegys, the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Message from the Council.

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
October 25, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER—

I am instructed by the Council to inform the House that the Council has passed

H. B. 2.—An act to repeal an act entitled "An act creating a Territorial Board of Equalization approved Nov. 14. 1879.

And the same is herewith returned, also that

C. B. 48.—An act relating to the time for the commencement of actions for the recovery of possession of real property in Washington Territory to ten years.

Sent back to the Council for engrossment. Has been reported back as correctly engrossed and the same herewith transmitted.

R. G. O'BRIEN, *Chief Clerk.*

On motion of Mr. Kuhn, the House adjourned.

GEORGE COMEGYS,
Speaker of the House.

E. R. BURK,
Chief Clerk.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Wednesday, October 26, 1881.

House called to order by the Speaker.

All members present at roll call but Mr. Steen absent on leave.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

Journal of yesterday read and approved.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Report of committee on Engrossed bills.

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Engrossed bills to whom was referred

H. B. 39.—An act to prevent certain animals from running at large, have examined the same and find it correctly engrossed

W. G. PRESTON, *Chairman.*

Report of committee on Enrolled bills,

MR SPEAKER—

Your committee on Enrolled bills to whom was referred

H. B. 2.—An act to repeal an act entitled An act creating a Territorial Board of Equilization, approved Nov. 14. 1879.

Have compared the with the original bill and report it back as correctly enrolled.

R. R. REES, *Chairman.*

Speaker gave notice he was about to sigh the above bill.

Report of committee on Corporations.

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Corporations to whom was referred

H. B. 38.—An act relating to city and town plats,

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back with the following amendment and recommend that it do pass.

Provided that nothing in this act shall be construed so as to apply to additions to towns in which no lots have been sold.

O. KINCADE,

Report of committee on Judiciary.

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Judiciary to whom was referred

The Message from the Governor.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back and recommend that the same be referred to the committee on Joint Rules and Orders.

J. A. KUHN, *Chairman.*

On motion report was adopted and the message so referred.

PROPOSITIONS AND MOTIONS.

Mr. Holcomb introduced,

H. B. 48.—An act to provide for the appointment of Justices of the Peace.

Read first time.

Read second time by title under suspension of rules.

On motion of Mr. Warman,

The bill was referred to the committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Clark introduced,

H. B. 49.—An act for the relief of the chief clerks.

Read first time.

Read second time under suspension of the rules.

On motion of Mr. Judson,

The bill was referred Committee on Ways, Means and Claims.

Mr. Kuhn introduced,

H. B. 50.—An act authorizing Quincy Street Wharf Company to construct a wharf at Port Townsend.

Read first time and also second time by title, under suspension of the rules.

On motion of Mr. Preston,

The bill was referred to the Commerce and Fishers.

ENGROSSED BILLS READ THIRD TIME.

Committee on Engrossed bills reported back correctly Engrossed.

H. B. 39.—An act to prevent certain animals from running at large.

Bill read third time and placed on its final passage, with the following result: Ayes

Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Clark, Cornwall, Dillon, Freeman, Judson, Karr, Kincaid, Kuhn, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Taylor, Van Eaton Warman and Speaker—22.

Noes—Mr. Holcomb—1.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

BILLS, REPORTS AND OTHERS BUSINESS LYING ON THE TABLE.

Committee on Corporations reported back with amendment

H. B. 38.—An act relating to city and town plats.

Report adopted, and the bill as amended read the third time and placed on its final passage, with the following result:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Clark, Cornwall, Dillon, Freeman, Judson, Karr, Kincaid, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Taylor, Van Eaton, Warman—20.

Noes—Messrs, Holcomb, Kuhn and Mr. Speaker.—3.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

C. B. 48.—An act relating to the time for commencement of actions for the recovery of possession of real property in Washington Territory to ten years.

Read first time.

Read the second time by title under suspension of the rules.

On motion of Mr. Warman,

The bill was referred to the committee on Judiciary.

PETITIONS, MEMORIALS AND REMONSTRANCES.

Mr. Holcomb introduced,

H. M. 6.—Relative to Shipping Commissioners.

Read first time.

Read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

On motion of Mr. Raymond,

The memorial was referred to the committee on Commerce and Fisheries.

On motion of Mr. Smith of King, the House adjourned until 2 P. M.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

House called to or the Speaker.

All the membes were present at roll call except Mr. Steen absent on leave.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Report of committee on Roads and Highways.

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Roads and Highways to whom was referred.

C. B. 25.—An act authorizing the County Commissioners of the several counties to appropriate money for improvement of roads and building and repairing bridges,

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back with substitute therefot and recommend that it do pass.

J. M. CORNWALL, *Chairman.*

Report of committee on Judiciary.

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Judiciary to whom was referred

H. B. 47.—An act to confirm to the Seattle and Walla Walla railroad, the title to tide lands in and about Elliotts Bay.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back with recommendation that it do not pass, also,

Your committee on Judiciary to whom was referred

C. B. 45.—An act to amend an act entitled An act in relation to Grand and Petit Jurors, approved Nov. 9, 1877.

C. B. 56.—Substitute for

C. B. 22.—An act to amend an act entitled An act to regulate the practice and proceeding in civil actions approved Nov. 8, 1877.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back and recommend their passage. Also,

Your committee on Judiciary to whom was referred

H. B. 43.—An act to amend Section 145 of the Probate practice act

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back with accompanying substitute, also,

Your committee on Judiciary to whom was referred

C. B. 39.—An act to amend an act entitled An act relating to Justices of the Peace and to their practice and jurisdiction approved Nov. 13, 1873,

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back with the following amendment:

Strike out Section 2 and insert the following in lieu thereof "Such appeal shall be taken within twenty days after the judgment is rendered or the decision is made, and shall be by filing a notice of appeal with the Justice and serving a copy on the

adverse party or his attorney, and filing a bond or undertaking as in the next section provided," And recommend its passage.

J. A. KUHN, *Ch'n Committee.*

BILLS REPORTS AND OTHER BUSINESS LYING ON THE TABLE:

Committee on Roads and Highways reported back

H. B. 51.—Substitute for

C. B. 25.—An act authorizing the County Commissioners of the several counties to appropriate money for improvement of roads and buiding and repairing bridges.

Read first time.

Read second time by title, under suspension of the rules.

On motion of Mr. Rees,

The bill was referred to the special committee having in charge the road law.

Committee on Judiciary reported back,

H. B. 47.—An act to confirm to the S. & W. W. R. R. the title of the tide lands in and about Elliotts Bay

Recommending that it do not pass.

On motion of Mr. Holcomb.

The report was adopted thereby killing the bill.

The same committee reported favorably on

C. B. 45.—An act to amend an act entitled An act in relation to grand and petit jurors, approved Nov. 9, 1877.

Mr. Kuhn moved the following amendment:

Section 3. This act to take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval.

Amendment adopted.

On motion of Mr. Smith of Whitman, the bill was laid on the table subject of the call of the House.

Mr. Smith of King in the chair.

The same committee report favorable on

C. B. 56.—A Substitute for

C. B. 22.—An act to amend an act entitled an act to regulate the practice and proceedings in civil actions approved Nov. 8, 1877.

Bill read third time and placed on its final passage with the following result:

Ayes.—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Clark, Cornwall, Dillon, Freeman, Holcomb, Judson, Karr, Kincaid, Kuhn, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Taylor, Van Eaton, Warman, and Mr. Speaker—23.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

The same committee reported on

H. B. 52.—Substitute for

H. B. 43.—An act to amend Section 145 of the Probate Practice act.

Read first time.

Read second time by title under suspension of the rules

On motion of Mr. Kuhn,

The rules were further suspended and the bill read a third time by title and placed on its final passage with the following result:

Ayes.—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Cornwall, Dillon, Freeman, Holcomb, Karr, Kuhn, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Rees, Taylor, Mr. Speaker—15.

Noes—Messrs. Clark, Judson, Kincaid, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Van Eaton and Warman—8.

Bill passed and title agreed to

Mr. Kuhn moved to reconsider the vote by which

C. B. 45.—An act to amend an act entitled An act in relation to grand and petit jurors approved Nov. 9, 1877.

Was tabled, vote reconsidered and bill referred to Judiciary committee.

Committee on Judiciary reported back with amendment

C. B. 39.—An act to amend an act entitled An act relating to Justices of the Peace and to their practice and jurisdiction approved Nov. 13, 1873.

On motion the report was adopted and the bill as amended read the third time and placed on its final passage with the following result:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Cornwall, Freeman, Holcomb, Judson, Karr, Kincade, Kuhn, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Taylor, Van Eaton and Mr. Speaker—19.

Noes—Messrs. Catlin, Clark, Dillon, Warman—4.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

Committee on Counties reported back

H. B. 40.—An act relating to that division of Yakima county, recommending that it do not pass

On motion of Mr. Kuhn, the bill and report were laid on the table, subject to the order of the House.

On leave Mr. Judson introduced

H. B. 53.—An act to regulate fees and costs.

Read first time in part.

Read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

On motion of Mr. Kuhn, the bill was referred to the committee on Counties with instructions to print.

On motion of Mr. Kuhn the House went into committee of the whole on

H. B. 16.—An act relating to elections and the mode of supplying vacancies.

Mr. Warman in the chair.

Committee arose, and asked through their chairman, until to-morrow morning in which to report.

On motion the House adjourned.

GEORGE COMEGYS,
Speaker of the House.

E. R. BURK,
Chief Clerk.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Thursday, October 27, 1881.

House called to order by the Speaker.

At roll call all members answered to their names.

Prayer by the chaplain.

Journal of last yesterday read and approved.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Report of committee of the whole

MR. SPEAKER:

Your committee of the whole to whom was referred

H. B. 16.—"An act relative to elections and the mode of supplying vacancies"

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back with the following amendments:

Chapter 1 Sec. 1; Chapter 4 Sec. 5 line 8; Chapter V Sec. 4; Sec. 5; Sec. 7, line 6; Sec. 10 line 3; Chapter VI Sec. 5 line 11; Sec. 6; Sec. 7 line 5; after Sec. 10 line 12; Chapter VII Sec. 19 line 3, 4; Chapter VIII Sec. 2; Chapter IX Sec. 12; Sec. 15; (an addition) Sec. 17 added; and the balance adopted.

THOMAS WARMAN *Chairman.*

On motion of Mr. Kuhn,

The report was adopted and the bill referred to the Engrossing committee.

Report of committee on Printing

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Printing to whom was referred

H. B. 13.—An act to close business houses and prevent the sale of intoxicating liquors on Sunday,

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back with amendments.

In section 2, line 2 insert "on Sunday" after the word whatever, and in section 2 line 3, after the word "physician" insert "in good standing."

G. F. RAYMOND, *Chairman.*

The original bill having been lost,

On motion of Mr. Raymond,

The printed bill was accepted as the original.

Report of committee on Ways, Means and Claims.

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Ways, Means and Claims to whom was referred

C. B. 42.—An act for the relief of M. R. Tilley.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back with the recommendation that it do pass; also

Your committee on Ways, Means and Claims to whom was referred

C. B. 47.—An act for the additional relief of Wm. Pix assignee of Billings and Olsen.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back without recommendation.

W. G. PRESTON, *Chairman.*

Report of committee on Commerce and Fisheries

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Commerce and Fisheries to whom was referred

H. M. 6.—Relative to Shipping Commissioners

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back with recommendation that it do pass, also,

Your committee on Commerce and Fisheries to whom was referred

H. B. 50.—An act authorizing Quincy Street Wharf Company to construct a wharf at Port Townsend,

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back with recommendation that it do pass.

THOS. WARMAN, *Chairman.*

Report of committee on Agriculture.

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Agriculture to whom was referred

H. B. 37.—An act to prevent the spread of Chinese and Canada thistles,

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back with recommendation that it do pass.

A. VAN EATON, *Chairman.*

PROPOSITIONS AND MOTIONS.

Mr. Kuhn introduced,

H. B. 54.—An act to amend an act entitled An act to encourage the cultivation of oysters.

Read first time. Read second time, by title under suspension of the rules.

On motion of Mr. Warman,

The bill was referred to the committee on Commerce and Fisheries.

Mr. Kuhn introduced,

H. B. 55.—An act to incorporate the city of Port Townsend.

Read first time in part.

Read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

On motion of Mr. Holcomb,

The bill was referred to the committee on Corporations.

BILLS, REPORTS, AND OTHER BUSINESS LYING ON THE TABLE.

Committee on Printing reported back with amendment

H. B. 13.—An act to close business houses and prevent the sale of intoxicating liquors on Sundays.

Report adopted and the amendments incorporated in the bill

Mr. Warman moved to amend by inserting after the word "undertakers" in Sec. 1, the words "barber shops."

Amendment adopted.

Mr. Kuhn moved to strike out Sec. 2. Motion lost.

Mr. Kincaid moved to strike out all after the enacting clause in Section 1. Motion lost.

Mr. Judson moved to amend line 4 of Sec. 1, by adding after the word "whatever" the words "in which spirituous, malt, or intoxicating liquors are sold."

Mr. Kuhn, moved to have the bill read the third time and placed on its final passage. Motion lost.

Mr. Kuhn called for the previous question.

One-third of the members not being in favor of the previous question it was not put.

On motion of Mr. Holcomb,

The bill was referred to the committee on Education.

Committee on Ways, Means and Claims reported favorable on

C. B. 42.—An act for the relief of M. R. Tilley.

Read third time and placed on its final passage with the following result:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Clark, Cornwall, Dillon, Karr, Kincaid, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Taylor, Van Eaton, Warman, Mr. Speaker—16.

Noes—Messrs. Catlin, Freeman, Holcomb, Judson, Kuhn, Rees, Smith of Whitman, Steen—8.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

The same committee reported back with recommendation.

C. B. 47.—An act for the relief of Wm. Pix.

Read third time and placed on its final passage with the following result:

Ayes—Messrs. Kuhn, Raymond, Van Eaton, and Warman—4.

Noes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Clark, Cornwall, Dillon, Freeman, Holcomb, Judson, Karr, Kincade, O'Neil, Preston, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor, Mr. Speaker—20.

House refused to pass the bill.

Message from the Council:

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
October 26, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER—

I am instructed by the Council to inform the House that the Council has passed

C. B. 44.—An act in relation to employment of Jailors in W. T. and fixing their compensation.

C. B. 49.—An act to cure defective deeds in Washington Territory.

C. B. 58—.An act to amend an act entitled An act relating to Justices of the Peace and their jurisisdiction approved Nov. 13, 1873.

And the same are herewith transmitted for your consideration, and that

C. J. R. 13.—Relative to the proper recognition of officers and soldiers who served as volunteers from Washington Territory during the Nez Perces Indian war of 1877,

C. J. R. 16.—In relation to joint committee on Printing to contract for printing certain reports.

C. J. R. 17.—Relative to a revenue bill and road law

C. B. 4.—An act in relation to the organizing of Courts in Washington Territory, and holding adjourned terms thereof.

C. B. 27.—An act to amend an act entiled "An act defining the jurisdiction and practice in the probate courts of Washington Territory. Approved Nov. 9, 1877,

C. B. 28.—An act to amend an act entitled An act defining the jurisdiction in the probate courts of Washington Territory, approved Nov. 11, 1873.

C. B. 31.—An act to amend an act entitled An act defining the jurisdiction and practice in probate courts of Washington Territory. Approved Nov. 11, 1873.

C. B. 43.—An act to remove the District Court from Spokan Falls to Cheney.

Have been reported by the committee as correctly Enrolled and they are herewith transmitted for your signature,

Also that the President has signed

H. B. 2.—An act to repeal an act entitled "an act creating a Territorial Board of Equilization," approved Nov. 14, 1879.

And the same is herewith returned.

Also that the Council has passed

C. M. 3.—In regard to the appointment of Shipping Commissioners.

C. M. 4.—In relation to Banks and Banking institutions.

C. B. 34.—An act to prevent the spreading of contagious diseases, in any town or city in the Territory of Washington.

C. B. 46.—An act to provide for the regulation of all practice of medicine and for the registration of all practitioners of medicine and sergery.

C. B. 51.—An act in relation to Counties.

C. B. 60.—An act to attach the Connty of Yakima to the Second Judicial District.

Herewith transmitted for your action,

And, that the House has passed with amendment

H. M. 4.—Relative to the establishing of a U. S. Land Office at Coupeville, La Conner or Seattle,

And the same is herewith returned for your concurrence

R. G. O'BRIEN, *Chief Clerk.*

The Speaker gave notice that he was about to sign the bills mentioned as transmitted for his signature.

The committee Commerce and Fisheries reported favorable on

H. M. 6.—Relative to Shipping Commissioners.

On motion of Mr. Kuhn,

The memorial was laid on the table.

The same committee reported favorably on

H. B. 50.—An act authorizing the Quincy St. Wharf Co. to construct a wharf at Port Townsend.

Read the third time and placed on its final passage with the following result:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Clark, Cornwall, Dillon, Freeman, Holcomb, Karr, Kincade, Kuhn, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor, Van Eaton, Warman, Mr. Speaker —23.

Noes—Mr. Judson—1.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

Message from the Council.

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
October 27, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER—

I am instructed by the Council to inform the House that the Council has passed

C. B. 21.—An act to amend an act entitled An act to regulate the practice and proceedings in civil action, approved Nov. 8, 1877.

C. B. 64.—An act to change the name of Emma Sophia Foster to Emma Sophia White and make her the heir at law of James White and Deborah T. White.

And the same are herewith transmitted for your consideration

R. G. O'BRIEN, *Chief Clerk.*

Committee on Agriculture reported favorable on

H. B. 37.—An act to prevent the spread of Chinese and Canada Thistles.

The bill was amended so as to exempt Cowlitz, Skamania, Pacific, Clark and Wahkiakum counties from the provision of the bill.

The bill as amended was read third time and placed on its final passage with the following result:

Those voting aye:

Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Clark, Cornwall, Dillon, Holcomb, Karr, Kincade, Kuhn, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor, Van Eaton, Warman Mr. Speaker—22.

Noes—Messrs. Freeman and Judson—2.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Van Eaton, the House adjourned until 2 P. M.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

House called to order by the Speaker.

At roll call all members answered to their names, but Mr. Preston.

Message from the Governor.

TERRITORY OF WASHINGTON,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
Olympia, October 20, 1881.

To the Speaker and House of Representatives:

I have this day signed

H. B. 11.—An act for the relief of A. H. Chambers.

H. B. 10.—An act to repeal an act entitled "An act in relation to the organization of new counties"

H. B. 28.—An act to repealing the Board of Immigration.

H. B. 12.—An act for the relief of Wm. Pix.

H. B. 30.—An act to allow arms Stevens Post.

WM. A. NEWELL.

Message from the Council:

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
October 27, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER—

I am instructed by the Council to inform the House that the Council has reconsidered its action on

C. B. 21.—An act to amend an act entitled An act to regulate the practice and proceedings in civil actions, approved Nov. 8, 1877,

And respectfully ask the House to return the same

Also that the Council has passed

C. B. 66.—An act to regulate the practice and proceedings in civil action

And the same is herewith transmitted for your action.

R. G. O'BRIEN, *Chief Clerk.*

On motion of Mr. Kuhn,

The clerk was instructed to return to the Council

C. B. 21.—

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Public Buildings and Grounds

Beg leave to report that they have visited the Insane Asylum and examined said buildings and found said buildings in our judgment to be in good repair and quite sufficient for the next two years with the exception of floors; that material can be secured for at most seventy-five dollars and report the same by bill.

JOHN ALEXANDER, *Chairman.*

The report was adopted.

MR. SPEAKER—

Your special committee to whom was referred

C. B. 41.—An act to confer certain powers on the directors of school district No. 1, in Whitman county,

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back with the recommendation that it pass.

T. J. SMITH,
GEO. COMEGYS,
J. M. CORNWALL.

MR. SPEAKER—

Your special committee to whom was referred

C. B. 40.—An act to authorize the County Commissioners of Whitman county to sell and convey the real estate &c.

Have had the same under consideration and report back

H. B. 57.—As a substitute and recommend its passage.

T. J. SMITH,
GEO. COMEGYS,
J. M. CORNWALL,

BILLS REPORTS AND OTHER BUSINESS LYING ON THE TABLE.

H. B. 5.—An act to amend an act entitled an act to establish District Courts in the third Judicial District and fixing the time and place for holding the same. Approved Nov. 14, 1879.

Was read the third time and placed on its final passage with the following result:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Clark, Dillon, Holcomb, Karr, Kincaid, O'Neil, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Steen, Taylor, Van Eaton, Warman, Mr. Speaker—17.

Noes—Messrs. Freeman, Judson, Kuhn, Smith of Whitman—4.

Not voting—Messrs. Catlin, Cornwall, Preston—3.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

Mr. Alexander, from the committee on Public Buildings and Grounds, introduced.

H. B. 56.—An act to appropriate money for the repair of the Hospital Building of the Insane.

Read first time, also second time by title under suspension of the rules.

On motion of Mr. Kuhn,

The bill was referred to the committee on Ways, Means and Claims.

Mr. Rees in the chair.

Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds presented a report on the Territorial University.

On motion of Mr. Judson the report was laid on the table.

Special committee reported favorable on

C. B. 41.—An act to confer certain powers on the Directors of School District No. 1 in Whitman county

Read third time and placed on its final passage with the following result:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Clark, Cornwall, Dillon, Freeman, Karr, Kincaid, Kuhn, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor, Van Eaton, Warman, Mr. Speaker—22.

Noes—Mr. Holcomb—1.

Absent—Mr. Judson—1.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

Special committee to whom was referred

C. B. 40.—An act to authorize the County Commissioners of Whitman county to sell real estate, &c.

Reported back a substitute. On motion the report was adopted.

H. B. 57.—Substitute for

C. B. 40.—An act to authorize the County Commissioners of Whitman county to sell real estate, &c

Read the first time also the second time by title under suspension of the rules.

On motion of Mr. Comegys,

The rules were further suspended and the resolution read the third time and placed on its final passage, with the following result:

Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Clark, Cornwall, Dillon, Freeman, Judson, Karr, Kincaid, Kuhn, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Rees, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor, Van Eaton, Warman and Mr. Speaker—22.

Noes—Mr. Holcomb—1.

Excused from voting—Mr. Smith of King—1.

Bill passed and title agree to.

BILLS AND OTHER BUSINESS FROM THE COUNCIL.

H. M. 4.—Relative to the establishment of a U. S. Land office at Coupeville,

Was returned from the Council amended.

Mr. Judson moved to concur in the Council amendment.

Motion to concur, lost.

C. B. 66.—An act to regulate the proceedings and practice in civil actions.

Read first time in part

Read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

On motion of Mr. Kuhn,

The rules were further suspended and the bill read the third time by title and placed on its final passage with the following result:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Clark, Cornwall, Dillon, Freeman, Judson, Kincaid, Karr, Kuhn, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor, Van Eaton Warman, Mr. Speaker—23.

Absent—Mr. Holcomb—1.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

The clerk was instructed to return the bill to the Council.

The Speaker resumed the chair.

C. M. 3.—In regard to the appointment of shipping commissioners.

Read first time. Read second time, by title under suspension of the rules.

On motion of Mr. Alexander,

The rules were further suspended and the memorial read a third time by title and placed on its final passage with the following result:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Clark, Cornwall, Dillon, Holcomb, Karr, Kincaid, Kuhn, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor, Van Eaton, Warman Mr. Speaker—22.

Noes—Mr. Freeman—1.

Absent—Mr. Judson—1.

Memorial passed.

C. M. 4.—In relation to banks and banking institutions.

Read first time and also second time under suspension of the rules.

On motion of Mr. Raymond,

The bill was referred to the committee on Federal relations and Memorials.

C. B. 34.—An act to prevent the spread of contagious diseases in any town or city in the Territory of Washington.

Read first time.

Read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

On motion of Mr. Smith, of Whitman.

The rules were further suspended and the bill read the third time by title and placed on its final passage with the following result:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Clark, Cornwall, Dillon, Judson, Karr, Kincaid, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith, of Whitman, Steen, Taylor, Van Eaton, Warman, Mr. Speaker—19.

Noes—Messrs. Catlin, Freeman and Holcomb—3.

Absent—Messrs. Allen and Kuhn—2.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

C. B. 44.—An act in relation to the employment of jailors in Washingron Territory and fixing their compensation.

Read first time.

Read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

On motion of Mr. Preston,

The bill was referred to the committee on Counties

C. B. 46.—An act to provide for the regulation of the practice of medicine and for the registration of all practicioners of medicine and surgery.

Read first time in part,

Read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

On motion of Mr. Smith of Whitman,

The bill was referred to the committee on Judiciary.

C. B. 49.—An act to cure defective deeds to real property it Washington Territory.

Read first time.

Read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

On motion of Mr. Raymond,

The bill was referred to the committee on Judiciary.

C. B. 51—An act in relation to counties.

Read first time.

Read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

On motion of Mr. Kuhn,

The bill was referred to the committee on Counties.

C. B. 58.—An act to amend an act entitled An act relating to Justices of the Peace and to their practice and jurisdiction, approved Nov. 13, 1873.

Read first time.

Read second time by title, under suspension of the rules.

On motion of Mr. Raymond,

The bill was referred to the committee on Judiciary

C. B. 60.—An act to attach the county of Yakima to the second Judicial District.

Read first time.

Read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

On motion of Mr. Kuhn,

The bill was referred to the Joint committee appointed to draw up a bill providing for holding terms of court.

C. B. 64.—An act to change the name of Emma Sophia Foster to Emma Sophia White and make her the heir at law of James White and Deborah White.

Read first time.

Read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

On motion of Mr. Raymond.

The bill was referred to the committee on Printing.

Mr. Rees moved to reconsider the vote by which

H. B. 51.—An act authorizing the county commissioners of the several counties to appropriate money for the improvement of roads and buildings and repairing bridges,

Was laid on the table. Motion carried and vote reconsidered.

On motion of Mr. Rees, it was made a special order of business for to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock.

On motion of Mr. Kincaid, the House adjourned.

GEORGE COMEGYS,
Speaker of the House.

E. R. BURK,
Chief Clerk.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Friday, October 28, 1881.

House called to order by the Speaker.

All members present at roll call.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

Journal of yesterday read and approved.

H. B. 51.—An act authorizing county commissioners of the several counties to appropriate money for the improvement of roads and building and repairing bridges,

Having been made the special order for this morning was taken from the table.

The bill was so amended as to exempt Wahkiakum, Cowlitz, Lewis, Klickitat, Yakima, Pacific and Chehalis counties from its provisions.

Bill read third time and placed on its final passage with the following result:

Ayes.—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Clark, Cornwall, Dillon, Freeman, Judson, Karr, Kincaid, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor, Warman and Mr. Speaker—21.

Noes—Messrs. Holcomb, Kuhn, Van Eaton—3.

Bill passed and title agreed to

PETITION, MEMORIALS AND REMONSTANCES.

Mr. Smith (of Whitman,) introduced

H. M. 7.—Relative to Northern Pacific Railroad lands.

Read first time.

Read second time by title, under suspension of the rules.

On motion of Mr. Raymond,

The rules were further suspended and the memorial read the third time by title and placed on its final passage with the following result:

Ayes.—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Clark, Cornwall, Dillon, Freeman, Judson, Karr, Kincaid, Raymond, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor, Van Eaton and Warman Mr. Speaker—19.

Noes—Messrs. O'Neil, Preston, Rees—3.

Absent—Mr. Kuhn.

Excused from voting, Mr. Holcomb—1.

Memorial passed.

Mr. Judson presented petitions from the citizens of Pierce county asking that church property be exempted from taxation.

Referred to joint committee on Counties.

Mr. Dillon introduced,

H. M. 8.—Praying for an appropriation for clearing Cathlapoodle river.

Read first time.

Read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

On motion of Mr. Allen,

The memorial was referred to the committee on Memorials and Federal relations.

Mr. Kuhn, from the committee on Judiciary asked for ten days further time in which to report.

C. B. 46.—An act to provide for the regulation of the practice of medicine and for the registration of all practitioners of medicine and surgery.

On motion ten days further time was granted.

A motion to make the bill the special order for November 14th, was lost.

PROPOSITIONS AND MOTIONS.

Mr. Judson introduced,

H. B. 58.—An act to repeal an act entitled An act in relation to Notaries public, approved Nov. 14, 1879.

Read first time, read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

On motion of Mr. Raymond,

The bill was referred to the committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Warman introduced,

H. B. 59.—An act to provide against the spread of contagious disease in Pacific county.

Read first time.

Read the second time by title under suspension of the rules.

On motion of Mr. Preston,

The bill was referred to the committee on Commerce and Fisheries.

Message from the Governor.

EXECUTIVE CHAMBER, Oct. 18, 1881.

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

I have this day approved

H. B. 2.—An act to repeal an act entitled An act creating a Territorial Board of Equilization, approved Nov. 14. 1879.

W. A. NEWELL.

Message from the Council.

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
October 28, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER—

I am instructed by the Council to inform the House that the Council has passed

C. B. 68.—An act for the relief of Paine Bro's.

C. B. 69.—An act to make valid certain appropriations made by Joint Resolutions of the Legislative Assembly of W. T.

And the same are herewith transmitted.

Also that the council refuses to concur in the House amendment to

C. B. 39.—An act to amend an act entitled An act relating to Justices of the Peace and to their practice and jurisdiction, approved Nov. 13, 1873.

And ask a committee of Conferrence and announce as committee on part of Council, Messrs Evans and Sharpstein.

R. G. O'BRIEN, *Chief Clerk.*

On motion the House adjourned until 2 P. M.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

House called to or the Speaker.

All the members were present at roll call except Mr. Taylor,

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Report of committee on Ways, Means and Claims.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your committee on Ways, Means and Claims to whom was referred

H. B. 49.—An act for the relief of the chief clerks,

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back with the recommendation that it do pass, with the following amendment:

That the amt. in Sec. 1 be one hundred and seventy-five dollars, and the amt. to E. R. Burk clerk of the House, one hundred and fifteen dollars.

W. G. PRESTON, *Chairman.*

Report of committee on Judiciary.

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Judiciary to whom was referred

H. B. 45.—An act in relation to actions for divorce and the trial thereof, and

H. B. 48.—An act to provide for the appointment of Justices of the Peace.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back and recommend they do not pass

J. A. KUHN, *Ch'n Committee.*

Report of committee on Counties,

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on to whom was referred.

C. B. 44.—An act in relation to the employment of jailors

in Washington Territory and fixing their compensation.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back with the following amendment:

To "Sec. — That "seventy-five" be stricken out of the 20th line and fifty inserted," making the compensation of jailors not more than fifty dollars per month.

T. J. SMITH, *Chairman.*

Report of committee on Counties

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Counties to whom was referred

C. B. 51.—An act in relation to counties.

C. B. 66.—An act to attach the county of Yakima to the 2d Judicial district.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back with recommendation that it do pass,

T. J. SMITH, *Chairman.*

Report of committee on Judiciary.

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Judiciary to whom was referred

C. B. 45.—An act to amend an act entitled An act in relation to Grand and Petit Jurors, approved Nov. 9, 1877.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back with the following amendment after Sec. 2:

Provided, That when Secretary has transmitted such statement to such clerk, in pusuance of existing laws. No further additional statement shall be required until after the general election in 1882; and Sec. 3. This act to effect and be in force from and after its approval.

J. A. KUHN, *Chairman.*

Report of committee on Commerce and Fisheries

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Commerce and Fisheries to whom was referred

H. B. 54.—An act to amend an act entitled An act to encourage the cultivation of oysters.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back and recommend that it do pass.

THOMAS WARMAN *Chairman.*

Mr. Karr introduced,

H. B. 60.—An act in relation to roads and highways,

Read first time.

Read second time by title under suspension of rules.

On motion of Mr. Karr,

The bill was referred to the committee on Roads and Highways.

Mr. Van Eaton introduced,

H. B. 61.—An act to encourage the cultivation of oysters in Thurston and Mason counties.

Read first time and also second time by title, under suspension of the rules.

On motion of Mr. Van Eaton,

The bill was referred to the committee on Commerce and Fisheries.

Mr. Smith of Klickitat introduced,

H. B. 62.—An act to prevent the spreading of contagious and infectious diseases among sheep.

Read first time in part.

Read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

On motion of Mr. Steen,

The bill was referred to the committee on Counties with instructions to print.

Mr. Kuhn introduced,

H. B. 63.—An act providing that insurance agents shall pay license.

Read first time.

Read second time by title under suspension of the rules

On motion of Mr. Kuhn,

The bill was referred to the committee on Counties with instructions to print,

Mr. Holcomb introduced,

H. B. 64.—An act on complaint and commitment of Insane.

Read first time in part. Read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

And on motion referred to the committee on Hospital for the Insane.

Mr. Kuhn introduced,

H. B. 65.—An act to prevent cruelty to convicts.

Read first time. Read second time by title.

On motion of Mr. Raymond,

Tabled till after the committee on Publice buildings and grounds make their report.

Mr. Warman introduced,

H. B. 66.—An act to review and survey a Territorial road.

Read first time. Read second time by title under suspension of the rules, and referred to committee on roads and highways.

Mr. Freeman introduced,

H. B. 67.—An act in relation to the location of the county seat of Columbia county.

Read first time. Read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

On motion of Mr. Steen,

The bill was referred to the Committee on Counties.

BILLS, REPORTS AND OTHERS BUSINESS LYING ON THE TABLE.

Committee on Ways, Means and Claims reported back with amendment

H. B. 49.—An act for the relief of the chief clerks.

Report adopted and bill read as amended third time and placed on its final passage with the following result: Ayes—

Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Clark, Cornwall, Dillon, Judson, Karr, Kincaid, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor, Van Eaton, Warman and Speaker—20.

Noes—Freeman, Holcomb and Kuhn—3.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

Clerk instructed to report same to the Council at once.

Message from the Council:

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
October 28, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER—

I am instructed by the Council to inform the House that that the Council has passed with amendment.

H. B. 51.—An act to authorize the commissioners of the several counties to appropriate money for the repair of Roads and building and repairing bridges,

By striking out of the provision to Sec. 3 the words "Wahkiakum and Cowlitz" and inserting the word "Kitsap,"

The same is herewith returned for your concurrence,

Also, substitute for,

C. B. 19.—An act defining the rights of married persons.

Herewith transmitted for your consideration.

R. G. O'BRIEN, *Chief Clerk.*

Mr. Kuhn in the chair.

Committee on Military affairs presented a report on the sale of arms in Thurston county.

Report adopted and referred to the same committee with instructions to report back by bill or otherwise.

Committee on Judiciary reported back

H. B. 45.—An act in relation to actions for divorce and the trial thereof,

Recommending that it do not pass,

Bill read third time and placed on its final passage, with the following result:

Ayes—Mr. Holcomb—1.

Noes—23.

House refused to pass the bill.

The same committee reported back

H. B. 48.—An act to provide for the appointment of Justices of the Peace

Recommending that it do not pass.

Read third time and placed on its final passage with the following result:

Ayes—Messrs. Clark, Dillon, Holcomb, Preston, Smith of King, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor—8.

Noes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Cornwall, Freeman, Judson. Karr, Kincaid, Kuhn, O'Neil, Raymond, Rees, Smith of Klickitat, Van Eaton, Warman and Mr. Speaker.—16.

House refused to pass the bill.

Committee on Counties reported back with amendment

C. B. 44.—An act in relation to the employment of jailors in Washingron Territory and fixing their compensation.

Report was adopted and the amendment inserted in the bill.

The bill was further amended by exempting Pierce, Clark and Cowlitz counties from the previsions of the bill.

The bill as amended was read third time and placed on its final passage with the following result:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Clark, Cornwall, Dillon, Judson, Karr, Kincade, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor, Van Eaton, Warman and Mr. Speaker—21.

Noes—Messrs. Freeman, Holcomb, Kuhn—3.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

The same committee report favorable on

C. B. 51.—An act in relation to Counties.

Bill read third time and placed on its final passage with the following result:

Ayes.—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Clark, Cornwall, Dillon, Karr, Kincaid, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor, Van Eaton Warman—19.

Noes—Messrs. Freeman, Holcomb, Kuhn, Mr. Speaker—4.

Absent—Mr. Judson—1.

Bill passed and title agreed to

The same committee reported favorable on

C. B. 60.—An act to attach the County of Yakima to the Second Judicial District.

Read the third time and placed on its final passage with the following result:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Cornwall, Dillon, Judson, Karr, Kincade, O'Neil, Preston, Rees, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Van Eaton, Warman, Mr. Speaker—16.

Noes—Messrs. Catlin, Clark, Freeman, Kuhn, Raymond, Smith of King, Taylor,—7.

Absent—Mr. Holcomb—1.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

Message from the Council.

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
October 28, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER—

I am instructed by the Council to inform the House that the Council has passed with amendment

H. B. 14.—An act to incorporate the city of Dayton.

By striking the House amendment, to line 7, of Sec. 19, also.

H. B. 50.—An act authorizing Quincy Street Wharf Company to construct a wharf at Port Townsend,

H. B. 57.—Substitute for

C. B. 40.—An act to authorize the County Commissioners of Whitman county to sell certain real estate upon which the present court house is located and purchase other real estate upon which to locate a court house and other buildings,

And the same are herewith returned.

R. G. O'BRIEN, *Chief Clerk.*

Committee on Judiciary reported back with amendment

C. B. 45.—An act to amend an act entitled An act in relation to grand and petit jurors, approved Nov. 9, 1877.

Report adopted, and the bill as amended read the third time and placed on its final passage, with the following result:

Ayes—Messrs. Cornwall, Freeman, Holcomb, Kuhn, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Warman, Mr. Speaker—12.

Noes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Clark, Dillon, Judson, Karr, Kincaid, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor, and Van Eaton—12.

House refused to pass the bill.

Committee on Commerce and Fisheries reported favorable on

H. B. 54.—An act to amend an act entitled An act to encourage the cultivation of oysters.

A call of the House being demanded,

All the members answered to their names.

Pending the passage of the bill.

The House adjourned.

GEORGE COMEGYS,
Speaker of the House.

E. R. BURK,
Chief Clerk.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Saturday, October 29, 1881.

House called to order by the Speaker.

At roll call all members answered to their names.

Prayer by the chaplain.

Journal of yesterday read and approved.

Mr. Raymond gave notice that as one of the members of the House had refused to obey the orders of the Speaker, he would on recurrence of the offense, move a vote of censure.

Mr. Rees moved to reconsider the vote by which

H. B. 49.—An act for the relief of the chief clerks

Was passed, motion carried, and vote reconsidered

On motion of Mr Rees,

The clerk was instructed to request the return of the bill from the council.

House took a recess.

Message from the Council:

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
October 26, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER—

I am instructed by the Council to inform the House that the Council have refused to pass

H. M. 7.—Relative to N. P. R. R. Lands

And that the Council has passed,

C. B. 75.—An act to establish District Courts and fixing the regular terms thereof in the first Judicial District,

And the same is herewith transmitted.

R. G. O'BRIEN, *Chief Clerk.*

Mr. Rees in the chair.

Mr. Steen moved to reconsider the vote by which the House refused to pass

C. B. 45.—An act to amend an act entitled An act in relation to grand and petit jurors approved Nov. 9, 1877.

Ayes and Noes being called for resulted as follows:

Ayes—Messrs. Clark, Cornwall, Freeman, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Steen, Mr. Speaker—11.

Noes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Judson, Karr, Kincaid, Kuhn, Smith of Whitman, Taylor, Van Eaton, Warman—11.

House refused to reconsider the vote.

Message from the Council:

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
October 29, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER—

I am instructed by the Council to inform the House that the Council has passed

C. B. 42.—An act for the relief of M. R. Tilley.

C. B. 66.—An act to regulate the practice and proceedings in civil action, approved Nov. 8, 1877.

Have been reported by the committee as correctly Enrolled and they are herewith transmitted for your signature,

R. G. O'BRIEN, *Chief Clerk.*

The Speaker gave notice that he was about to sign the above bills

Report of committee on Printing

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Printing to whom was referred

C. B. 64.—An act to change the name of Emma Sophia Foster to Emma Sophia White and make her the heir at law of James White and Deborah T. White.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back and recommend that it do pass.

G. F. RAYMOND, *Chairman.*

Report of committee on Federal Relations and Memorials.

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Federal Relations and Memorial to whom was referred

C. M. 4.—In relation to banks and banking institutions.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back and recommend it do pass.

W. W. HOLCOMB, *Chairman.*

Mr. Judson gave notice that he would call the member to order who should hereafter refer to outsiders during debate

Mr. Smith (of Whitman,) moved to reconsidered the vote by which

C. B. 60.—An act to attach the county of Yakima to the second Judicial District.

Was passed. Vote reconsidered.

On motion of Mr. Kuhn,

The bill was laid on the table, subject to the call of the House.

BILLS, REPORTS, AND OTHER BUSINESS LYING ON THE TABLE.

H. B. 54.—An act to amend an act entitled an act to encourage the cultivation of oysters,

Under the House yesterday, when the House adjourned.

Was read the third time and placed on its final passage with the following result:

Ayes—Messrs. Catlin, Cornwall, Dillon, Holcomb, Karr, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor, Van Eaton, Warman and Mr. Speaker—17.

Noes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Clark, Freeman, Kuhn, Kincaid, Judson—7.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

Mr. Raymond moved that

H. B. 61.—An act to encourage the cultivation of oysters in the counties of Thurston and Mason.

Referred to the committee on Commerce and Fisheries, to be printed. Motion carried.

Committee on printing report favorable on

C. B. 64.—An act to change the name of Emma Sophia Foster to Emma Sophia White and make her the heir at law of James White and Deborah F. White.

Read third time and placed on its final passage with the following result:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Clark, Cornwall, Dillon, Freeman, Holcomb, Karr, Kincaid, Kuhn, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor, Van Eaton, Warman—22.

Noes—Mr. Judson—1.

Absent—Mr. Speaker—1.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

Mr. Clark moved to take from the table

H. B. 24.—An act to change the name of Robert L. Musrush to Robert L. Rush.

Motion carried.

Read the third time and placed on its final passage, with the following result:

Ayes.—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Clark, Cornwall, Freeman, Judson, Karr, Kincaid, O'Neil, Preston, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Taylor, Warman—14.

Absent—Messrs. Catlin, Dillon, Kuhn, Raymond, Rees, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Van Eaton and Mr. Speaker—9.

Absent—Mr. Holcomb—1.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

Committee of Federal Relations and Memorials reported favorable on

C. B. 4.—Relating to bank and banking institution,

On motion of Mr. Preston,

The memorial was laid on the table.

Bills and other business from the Council.

H. B. 14.—An act to corporate the City of Dayton,

Was returned from the Council amended:

On motion the House concurred in the amendment.

H. B. 51.—An act authorizing the county commissioners of the several counties to appropriate money for the improvement of roads and buildings and repairing bridges,

Was returned from the Council amended

And on motion the House concurred in the amendment.

On motion the House adjourned until 2 P. M.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

House called to order by the Speaker.

At roll call all members answered to their names,

BILLS REPORTS AND OTHER BUSINESS LYING ON THE TABLE.

C. B. 19.—An act to define the rights of married person.

Read first time.

Read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

On motion of Mr. Judson,

The bill was referred to the committee on Judiciary.

C. B. 67.—An act for the relief of Paine Bros.

Read first time in part.

Read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

On motion of Mr. Kuhn,

The bill was referred Committee on Ways, Means and Claims.

C. B. 69.—An act to make valid certain appropriations of money made by joint resolutions of the Legislative Assembly of Washington Territory.

Read first time.

Read second time by title, under suspension of the rules.

On motion of Mr. Smith, of Whitman.

The bill was referred to the committee on Ways, Means and Claims.

C. B. 75.—An act to establish District Courts and fixing the terms there of in the First Judicial District.

Read first time and also second time under suspension of the rules.

On motion of Mr. Kuhn,

The bill was referred to the Joint Committee appointed to report a bill fixing the times and places for holding Courts.

Mr. Smith of King presented a petition from citizens asking that church property be exempted from taxation.

Referred to Joint committee on revenue law.

Mr. Kuhn introduced,

H. M. 9.—Relative to increased mail service to Alaska

Read first time. Read second time, by title under suspension of the rules.

On motion of Mr. Preston,

The memorial was referred to the committee on Ways, Means and Claims.

Mr. Freeman moved, to reconsider the vote by which the House concurred in Council amendment to

H. B. 14.—An act to incorporate the city of Dayton,

Motion lost.

PROPOSITIONS AND MOTIONS.

Mr. Preston introduced,

H. J. R. 16.—Permitting the Supreme Court of Washington Territory to use Capitol Building in the absence of the Legislature,

Read first time.

Read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

On motion of Mr. Kuhn,

The rules were further suspended and the resolution read the third time by title and placed on its final passage with the following result:

Those voting aye:

Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Clark, Cornwall, Dillon, Freeman, Holcomb, Judson, Karr, Kincade, Kuhn, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Steen, Taylor, Van Eaton, Warman, Mr. Speaker—23.

Absent—Smith of Whitman—1.

Resolution passed.

Mr. Kuhn introduced the following resolution,—

Resolved by the House of Representatives of th
of Washington. That the Messenger shall ascerta
cost a set of the statutes of this Territory for the

House during the present session. Said statute to be deposited with the clerk, and not taken from the Hall of this House, and returned to the owner at the end of the session in good order.

Resolution adopted. Report of Standing committee.

Report of committee on Counties,

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Counties, to whom was referred

H. B. 67.—An act in relation to relocation of county seat of Columbia county.

Have had the same under consideration and report back with the following amendment. In Sec. 3, 5th line strike out "Majority" and insert "highest number" of votes, and recommend that it do pass.

T. J. SMITH, *Chairman.*

Report of committee on Roads and Highways.

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Roads and Highways to whom was referred

H. B. 60.—An act in relation to roads and highways,

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back with the recommendation that the bill do pass with the following amendments: "That the county commissions be required to cause the survey of the so designated legal roads in this act, which said roads have not been surveyed."

J. M. CORNWALL, *Chairman.*

Report of committee on Commerce and Fisheries

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Commerce and Fisheries to whom was referred

H. B. 59.—An act to provide against the spread of contagious disease in Pacific county.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back with recommendation that it do pass,

THOS. WARMAN, *Chairman.*

BILLS REPORTS AND OTHER BUSINESS LYING ON THE TABLE.

Committee on Counties reported back with amendment

H. B. 67.—An act in relation to the relocation of the county seat of Columbia county.

Report adopted and the bill as amended read the third time and placed on its final passage with the following result:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Clark, Cornwall, Dillon, Freeman, Judson, Karr, Kincaid, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Taylor, Warman—17.

Noes—Messrs. Kuhn, Rees, Smith, of Whitman, Steen, Van Eaton, Mr. Speaker—6.

Absent—Mr. Holcomb—1.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

Committee on Roads and Highways reported back with amendments

H. B. 60.—An act in relation to Roads and Highways.

Report adopted and the bill as amended read third time and placed on its final passagr with the following result:

Ayes—Messrs. Allen, Catlin, Cornwall, Dillon, Judson. Karr, Preston, Raymond, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Van Eaton—11.

Noes—Messrs. Clark, Freeman, Kuhn, O'Neil, Rees, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor, Mr. Speaker—9.

Absent—Messrs. Alexander, Holcomb, Kincaid, Warman —4.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

Committee on Hospital for the Insane reported favorable on

H. B. 64.—An act on complaint and commitment of Insane.

Call of the House be demanded, Messrs. Alexander, Holcomb, Kincaid, Warman were found absent, the Sergeant-at-Arms was instructed to bring in the absent members. Which was done.

On motion the bill was indefinitely postponed.

On leave the Judiciary committee introduced

H. B. 68.—An act to provide for the assessing and collecting of County and Territorial revenue.

On motion the bill was considered read first and second times, and

Referred to the on Ways, Means and Claims with instructions to print.

Committee on Commerce and Fisheries reported favorable on

H. B. 59.—An act to provide against the spread of contagious diseases in Pacific county.

Mr. Karr moved to amend by adding Chehalis county to the bill.

Amendment adopted and the bill as amended

Read third time and placed on its final passage with the following result:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Cornwall, Dillon, Freeman. Karr, Kincaid, Kuhn, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond. Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Van Eaton Warman, Mr. Speaker—20.

Noes—Messrs. Clark, Holcomb—2.

Absent—Messrs. Judson, Taylor—2.

Bill passed and title agree to.

On leave Mr. Kuhn introduced

H. B. 69.—An act for the relief of Allen Weir,

Read the first time also the second time by title under suspension of the rules.

On motion of Mr. Kuhn,

The bill was referred to the committee on Military affairs.

On motion the House adjourned.

GEORGE COMEGYS,
Speaker of the House.

E. R. BURK,
Chief Clerk.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Monday, October 31, 1881.

House called to order by the Speaker.

All members present at roll call but Mr. Allen.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

Journal of Saturday read and approved.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

MR SPEAKER—

Your committee on Judiciary to whom was referred

C. B. 48.—An act in relation to the time for commencement of actions for the recovery of possession of real property in Washington Territory to ten years.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back with out recommendation.

J. A. KUHN, *Chairman.*

On motion of Mr. Kuhn,

The bill was laid on the table, also

Your committee on Judiciary to whom was referred

C. B. 49.—An act to cure defective deeds to real property it Washington Territory.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back without recommendation

J. A. KUHN, *Chairman.*

Mr. Warman in the chair.

On motion the bill was referred to the committee on Judiciary.

Speaker resumed the chair, Also

Your committee on Judiciary to whom was referred

C. B. 58—.An act to amend an act entitled An act relating to Justices of the Peace and to their practice and jurisisdiction approved Nov. 13, 1873.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back and recommend it do pass

J. A. KUHN, *Chairman.*

Read the third time by title and placed on its final passage with the following result:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Catlin, Clark, Cornwall, Dillon, Freeman, Holcomb, Judson, Karr, Kincade, Kuhn, O'Neil, Preston, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor, Van Eaton, Warman and Mr. Speaker—22.

Noes—Messrs. Allen, Raymond—2.

Bill passed and title agreed to, also

Your committee on Judiciary to whom was referred,

H. B. 58.—An act to repeal an act entitled An act in relation to Notaries public, approved Nov. 14, 1879.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back with the recommendation that it pass.

J. A. KUHN, *Chairman.*

Read third time by title and placed on its final passage with the following result:—

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Clark, Cornwall, Dillon, Freeman, Holcomb, Judson, Karr, Kincade, Kuhn, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor, Van Eaton, Warman and Mr. Speaker—24.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Kuhn,

Messrs. Judson and Kuhn were appointed Conference committee on the part of the House on

C. B. 39.—An act to amend an act entitled An act relating to Justices of the Peace and to their practice and jurisdiction approved Nov. 3, 1873,

On motion of Mr. Kuhn the House took from the table.

H. B. 32.—An act in relation to quarrantine of vessels.

Mr. Kuhn moved to amend by striking out $1000 in Sec. 12 and inserting $200 in lieu thereof,

Amendment adopted.

Mr. Kuhn moved to further amend by striking out Sec. 13 and inserting a new Section in lieu thereof,

Amendment adopted.

The bill as amended was read third time and placed on its final passage with the following result:

Ayes.—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Clark, Cornwall, Dillon, Freeman, Holcomb, Karr, Kincaid, Kuhn, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor, Van Eaton Warman Mr. Speaker —23.

Absent—Mr. Judson—1.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

Mr. Rees in the chair.

PROPOSITIONS AND MOTIONS.

Mr. Comegys introduced,

H. B. 70.—An act to confer the right of suffrage on Woman citizens,

Read first time, read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

On motion of Mr. Smith, of Klickitat,

The bill was referred to the committee on Privileges and Elections.

Mr. Steen introduced,

H. B. 71.—An act to declare Touchet river, navigable,

Read first time.

Read the second time by title under suspension of the rules.

On motion of Mr. Preston,

The bill was referred to the members from Walla Walla and Columbia counties.

Message from the Council.

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
October 31, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER—

I am instructed by the Council to inform the House that the Council has passed Council substitute for

C. B. 15.—An act to provide for the education of mutes.

C. B. 16.—An act for the relief of the Oregon school for deaf mutes

Respectfully transmitted for your action.

R. G. O'BRIEN, *Chief Clerk.*

On motion the House adjourned till 2 P. M.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

House called to order by the Speaker.

All the members present at roll call.

PROPOSITIONS AND MOTIONS.

Mr. Steen introduced,

H. B. 72.—An act to declare Tukanon river navigable,

Read first time. Read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

On motion of Mr. Smith of Whitman,

The bill was referred to the representatives from Columbia county.

Mr. Preston introduced,

H. B. 73.—An act for the relief of clerks and other employees of the present Legislative Assembly.

Read first time.

Read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

On motion of Mr. Judson

The bill was referred to the committee on Ways, Means and Claims.

Mr. Taylor introduced,

H. B. 74.—An act to change the name of Charles Howard Harper to David Johnston Steevens.

Read first time. Read second time by title under suspension of the rules,

On motion of Mr. Smith of Whitman

The rules was further suspended and the bill read third time and placed on its final passage with the following result:

Ayes—Messrs. Clark, Judson, Taylor, Warman—4.

Noes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Cornwall, Dillon, Freeman, Holcomb, Karr, Kincade, Kuhn, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Van Eaton, Mr. Speaker—20.

House refused to pass the bill.

Mr. Smith of Klickitat by request introduced,

H. B. 75.—An act limiting and regulating the granting of licenses for the sale of spirituous liquors within the Territory of Washington.

Read first time.

Read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

On motion of Mr. Smith of Klickitat,

The bill was referred to the committee on Education,

Mr. Holcomb introduced,

H. B. 76.—An act to amend Sec. 225 of the civil practice act of 1873.

Read first time, also second time by title under suspension of the rules.

On motion of Mr. Holcomb,

The bill was referred to the committee on Judiciary.

Message from the Council:

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
October 31, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER—

I am instructed by the Council to inform the House that the Council has passed

H. B. 38.—An act relating to city and town plats,

H. J. R. 16.—Permitting the Supreme Court of W. T. to use the Capitol Building,

And the same are herewith returned.

R. G. O'BRIEN, *Chief Clerk.*

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

The committee on Education presented a majority and minority report on

H. B. 13.—An act to close business houses and prevent the sale of intoxicating liquors on Sunday.

Minority report: That the amendment in Section 1st be stricken out and in their stead after the word "undertaking" be inserted the words, "and provided further that none of the places of business herein excepted shall be permitted to sell liquors on Sunday except as provided in Sec. 2 of this act; that Sec. 5th be so amended as to read after the word "term," that such vacancy may be filled in the manner now provided by law."

R. R. REES.

The minority report was adopted.

The bill was further amended by striking the words "in which spirituous, malt or intoxicating liquors are sold."

House took a recess for a few minutes, after which it was called to order again.

The bill amended was read the third time and placed on its final passage with the following result:

Ayes—Messrs. Allen, Catlin, Cornwall, Freeman, Holcomb, Karr, O'Neil, Preston, Rees, Steen, Taylor, Van Eaton, Warman Smith of Klickitat—14.

Noes—Messrs. Alexander, Clark, Dillon, Judson, Kincaid, Kuhn, Raymond, Smith of King, Smith of Whitman, and Mr. Speaker—10.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

Message from the Council:

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
October 31, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER—

I am instructed by the Council to inform the House that the Council has passed

C. B. 59.—An act to Incorporate the City of Colfax.

C. B. 62.—An act to Legalize County roads.

C. M. 5.—In relation to admission of Washington Territory and Northern Idaho as a State.

H. B. 37.—An act to prevent the spread of Chinese and Canada Thistles.

H. B. 33.—An act to amend an act entitled An act to appropriate one-half of the Territorial tax of Snohomish county for year 1880 for the purpose of building a Territorial road therein

And the same are herewith transmitted

Also that the President has signed

C. M. 3.—In regard to the appointment of shipping commissioners.

C. B. 41.—An act to confer certain powers on the Directors of School District No. 1 in Whitman county

C. B. 34.—An act to prevent the spread of contagious diseases in any town or city in the Territory of Washington.

And the same is herewith transmitted for your signature.

R. G. O'BRIEN, *Chief Clerk.*

The Speaker gave notice that he was about to sign the above bills

On motion of Mr. O'Neil, the House took up

C. M. 5.—In relation to the admission of Washington Territory and Northern Idaho as a State.

Read first time.

Read second time by title under suspension of rules.

On motion of Mr. Smith of Whitman,

The rules were further suspended and the memoral read third time and placed on its final passage with the following result:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Clark, Cornwall, Free-

man, Holcomb, Karr, Kincaid, Kuhn, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor, Van Eaton, Warman, Mr. Speaker—21.

Noes—Messrs. Catlin, Dillon, Judson—3.

The memorial was passed.

The Clerk was instructed to report it back to the Council at once.

Mr. Judson gave notice to amend Joint Rule 10, by striking out "a notice of 5 days" and inserting "unanimous consent."

Report of committee on Military Affairs.

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Military Affairs to whom was referred

H. B. 69.—An act for the relief of Allen Weir.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back and recommend that it do pass.

JAS. O'NEIL, *Chairman.*

Read the third time and placed on its final passage with the following result:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Clark, Cornwall, Kincaid, Kuhn, O'Neil, Raymond, Smith of King, Steen, Warman—11.

Noes—Messrs. Catlin, Dillon, Freeman, Holcomb, Judson, Karr, Preston, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Taylor, Van Eaton and Mr. Speaker—12.

Absent—Mr. Rees—1.

House refused to pass the bill.

Message from the Council.

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
October 31, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER—

I am instructed by the Council to inform the House that the Council has passed

Have adopted the report of the committee of Conference on

C. B. 39.—An act to amend an act entitled An act relating to Justices of the Peace and to their practice and jurisdiction approved Nov. 13, 1873.

R. G. O'BRIEN, *Chief Clerk.*

On motion the House adjourned.

GEORGE COMEGYS,
Speaker of the House.

E. R. BURK,
Chief Clerk.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Tuesday Nov. 1, 1881.

House called to order by the Speaker.

At roll call all members answered to their names.

Prayer by the chaplain.

Journal of yesterday read and approved.

On motion of Mr. Judson, the House took up

C. B. 15.—An act for the education of deaf mutes.

Read first time in part.

Read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

On motion of Mr. Rees,

The bill was referred to the committee on Ways, Means and Claims.

On motion of Mr. Judson, the House took up

C. B. 16.—An act for the relief of the Oregon school for deaf mutes. Read first time.

Read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

On motion of Mr. Van Eaton,

The bill was referred to the committee on Ways, Means and Claims.

Report of committee of Conference on disagreement between the Houses on C. B. 39.—

MR. SPEAKER:

Your committee of Conference of the two Houses upon

C. B. 39.—An act to amend an act entitled An act relating to Justices of the Peace and to their practice and jurisdiction, approved Nov. 13, 1873,

Have had the same under consideration and report that they have agreed as a basis of agreement that the amendment to Sec. 2 of said bill shall read as follows: Section 2, Such appeal shall be taken by filing notice of appeal with justice and serving a copy on the adverse party or his attorney and filing a bond or undertaking as in the next section provided, within twenty days after the judgment is rendered or the decision made.

R. L. Sharpstein,
Elwood Evans,
On part of Council,
J. A. Kuhn,
S. Judson,
On the part of the House.

On motion the report was adopted.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Report of committee on Ways, Means and Claims.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your committee on Ways, Means and Claims to whom was referred

H. B. 7.—An act appropriating money and otherwise provide for the Territorial University,

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back with substitute recommendation that it do pass,

W. G. PRESTON, *Chairman.*

On motion the report was adopted and

H. B. 77.—Substitute for

H. B. 7.—An act to appropriate money for the Territorial University.

Read first time.

Read second time by title, under suspension of the rules.

Mr. Rees in the chair,

Mr. Raymond moved to amend by striking out "$500" for tuition and inserting "$1000."

Ayes and Noes being called for resulted as follows:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Holcomb Karr, Kincaid, Kuhn, Raymond, Smith of King, Van Eaton, Warman—10.

Noes—Messrs. Catlin, Clark, Cornwall, Dillon, Freeman, Judson, O'Neil, Preston, Rees, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor, and Speaker—14.

House refused to amend.

Mr. Judson moved to strike out Section 2.

Ayes and noes being called for resulted as follows.

Ayes—Messrs. Catlin, Clark, Cornwall, Dillon, Freeman, Judson, Preston, Smith of Whitman, Taylor, Mr. Speaker—10.

Noes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Holcomb, Karr, Kincaid, Kuhn, O'Neil, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Steen, Van Eaton, Warman—14.

Motion to strike out, lost.

On motion of Mr. Comegys,

The bill was referred to the Committee on Counties with instructions to print.

Report of committee on Printing

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Printing to whom was referred

H. J. R. 12.—An act relating to representation in the Washington Monument,

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back by bill with the recommendation that it do pass,

G. F. RAYMOND, *Ch'n Committee.*

Report accepted and

H. B. 78.—An act to provide for suitable representation in the Washington Monument,

Read first time. Read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

On motion of Mr. Kuhn,

The bill was referred Committee on Ways, Means and Claims.

Report of committee on Enrolled bills

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee en Enrolled bills to whom was referred

H. B. 50.—An act authorizing Quincy Street Wharf Company to construct a wharf at Port Townsend, and

H. B. 57.—An act authorize the County commissioners of Whitman county to sell certain real estate and purchase other real estate,

Have compared the same with the original bills and report them back as correctly enrolled.

R. R. REES, *Chairman.*

The Speaker gave notice he was about to sign the above bills

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Privileges and Elections to whom was referred the petition of John W. Still and others praying for extention of suffrage to women, &c.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back with the recommendation that the petition be placed on the Clerks desk subject to the orders of the House.

J. H. KARR, *Chairman.*

Report accepted.

The report of committee on Ways, Means and Claims on

H. B. 42.—An act for the better preservation of the records of the Supreme court of Washington Territory.

Was read.

On motion of Mr. Kuhn,

The report and bill were laid on the table, subject to the call of the House.

Message from the Governor:

EXECUTIVE CHAMBER, Nov. 1, 1881.

To the Speaker of the House of Representatives:

I have the honor to return to the Legislative Assembly the report of the University except the report of the regents which I will transmit to day or tomorrow.

W. A. NEWELL.

On motion of Mr. Kuhn,

The above reports were laid on the table.

Report of committee on Ways, Means and Claims.

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Ways, Means and Claims to whom was referred

C. B. 67.—An act for the relief of Paine Bro's.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back with recommendation that it do pass,

W. G. PRESTON, *Chairman.*

Bill as amended read the third time and placed on its final passage with the following result:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Clark, Cornwall, Dillon, Freeman, Judson, Karr. Kincaid, Kuhn, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor, Warman—21.

Noes—Messrs. Holcomb Mr. Speaker—2.

Absent—Mr. VanEaton—1.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

On motion the House adjourned until 2 P. M.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

House called to order by the Speaker.

At roll call all members answered to their names,

Report of committee on Ways, Means and Claims

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Ways, Means and Claims to whom was referred

C. B. 69.—An act to make valid certain appropriations of money made by joint resolutions

Have had the same under consideration and report the same under consideration and report the same back with recommendation that it do pass.

Amended as follows: That the amount be made to read $232.50 instead of $237.50. The amount due Kuhn being deducted

W. G. Preston, *Chairman.*

On motion of Mr. Kuhn,

The bill was laid on the table.

Committee on Memorials reported favorable on

H. M. 8.—To remove obstructions on the Cathlapoodle river

Memorial read third time and placed on its final passage, with the following result:

Ayes—24. No Noes.

Committee on Memorials and Federal Relation reported favorable on

H. M. 9.—Relative to increased mail service to Alaska.

Memorial read the third time by title and placed on its final passage received:

Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Clark, Cornwall, Dillon, Freeman, Holcomb, Karr, Kincade, Kuhn, O'Neil, Raymond, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor, Van Eaton, Warman—20.

Noes—Messrs. Judson, Preston, Rees, Mr. Speaker—4.

Memorial passed.

BILLS AND OTHER BUSINESS FROM THE COUNCIL.

C. B. 59.—An act to incorporate the city of Colfax.

Read first time in part.

Read second time by title and

On motion of Mr. Smith of Whitman,

The bill was referred to the representatives from Whitman county.

C. B. 62.—An act to legalize county roads.

Read first time and also second time by title, and

On motion of Mr. Kuhn,

Referred to committee on Counties.

Mr. Kuhn's motion to take from the table the report on Territorial University, prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Preston,

The report was referred to the committee on Printing with instructions to report immediately as to that portion to be printed

Mr. Holcomb's motion to reconsider the vote by which the House on Monday refused to pass

H. B. 69.—An act for the relief of Allen Weir. Prevailed.

Mr. Kuhn moved to amend the bill by striking out "twenty-four" and inserting "eighteen dollars." Adopted.

Read third time and as amended and placed on final passage resulted as follows:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Clark, Cornwall, Holcomb, Kincaid, Kuhn, O'Neil, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Steen, Warman and Speaker—15.

Noes—Messrs. Catlin, Dillon, Freeman, Judson, Karr, Preston, Smith of Whitman, Taylor, Van Eaton—9.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

Mr. Preston of the Joint committee on printing presented the bid of C. B. Bayley for printing, whereupon Mr. Kuhn moved that the House accept the bid.

The Speaker declared the motion out of order.

Mr. Smith of King appealed from the decision of the chair.

The question being "shall the decision of the chair be sustained."

House refused to sustain the chair.

The Joint committee on Printing reported the bid of C. B. Bagley to wit.

Gentlemen:

I have the honor to submit the following bid for executing the printing of the Territorial Assembly at the present session so far as the same is paid for by the Territory. For all Resolutions and Memorials at the rate of 30 cents per 1000 ems composition and 30 cents per Token for Presswork. The reports of the Territorial Officers at seventy cents per 1000 ems composition printers measurement, and 35 cents per token of 250 impressions per form of presswork. The work to be done on good paper and in workmanlike manner.

Very Respectfully, C. B. Bagley.

On motion the bid was excepted by the House.

PROPOSITIONS AND MOTIONS.

Mr. Freeman introduced,

H. B. 79.—An act to appropriate money from the Territorial Treasury for the benefit of common schools.

Read the first time also the second time by title under suspension of the rules.

On motion of Mr. Holcomb,

The bill was referred to the Committee on Education.

Mr. Judson introduced,

H. B. 80.—An act to regulate interest on Territorial and County warrents.

Read first time.

There being no objection the bill was read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

On motion of Mr. Van Eaton,

The bill was referred to the committee on Ways, Means and Claims.

M. Judson introduced,

H. B. 81.—An act to confer city government upon Tacoma.

Read first time in part. There being no abjections the bill was read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

On motion of Mr. Kuhn,

The bill was referred to the committee on Corporations.

Mr. Warman introduced,

H. B. 82.—An act to repeal an act entitled an act prohibiting the owners of hogs and sheep from permitting the same to run at large in Pacific county.

Read first time.

Read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

The bill was referred back to Mr. Warman, after which

The rules was further suspended and the bill read third time and placed on its final passage with the following result:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Clark, Catlin, Cornwall, Dillon, Freeman, Judson, Karr, Kincaid, Kuhn, O'Neil, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor, Van Eaton Warman, Mr. Speaker—22.

Absent—Messrs. Holcomb, Preston—2.

Bill passed and title agree to.

Mr. Clark moved that Mrs. Dunniway be granted the use of the hall of the House at 3 P. M. tomorrow. Motion carried.

Report of committee on Commerce and Fisheries

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Commerce and Fisheries to whom was referred:

H. B. 1.—An act to establish Pilots and Pilot regulations for San Juan de Fuca straits, Puget Sound and all American waters pertaining thereto,

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back with the following amendments:

Amend Sec. 7 by striking out the words "American, owned in the District of Puget Sound," amend section 18 by adding the words "after due trial by a court of competent jurisdiction." Amend by striking out all of Sec. 21. Amend Sec. 28 by striking out "without first having received permission for the board of Pilot Commissioners in writing under seal." Amend Sec. 30 by striking out the word "ten" and inserting the word "eight" in lieu thereof. Amend Sec. 31 by striking out all of the proviso to said Sec. and so amended, recommend that it do pass.

THOMAS WARMAN, *Chairman.*

The report was adopted. Mr. Kuhn moved to amend so as to read "Vessels under twenty feet draft $8 per foot over twenty feet $10.00. Amendment adopted. Mr. Rees moved to amend Sec. 30 by making it read $8. per foot for vessels of all sizes. Amendment adopted.

The bill as amended was read third time and placed on its final passage with the following result:

Ayes—Messrs. Allen, Clark, Catlin, Cornwall, Dillon, Freeman, Judson, Karr, Kincaid, Kuhn, O'Neil, Preston, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor, Van Eaton, Warman Mr. Speaker—21.

Absent—Messrs. Alexander, Holcomb and Raymond—3.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

On motion the House adjourned.

GEORGE COMEGYS,
Speaker of the House.

E. R. BURK,
Chief Clerk.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Wednesday, Nov. 2, 1881.

House called to order by the Speaker.

All members present at roll call.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

Journal of yesterday read and approved.

Mr. Kuhn presented a petition from citizens of Chehalis county praying for the enactment of laws to suppress the liquor trafic. Laid on the table subject to the order of the House.

On motion of Mr. Holcomb the House went into committee on the whole on

H. B. 53.—An act to regulate fees and costs.

Mr. Kuhn in the chair.

Committee rose, reported progress, and asked time to sit again. Which was granted.

Speaker resumed the chair.

Message from the Council:

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
Nov. 1, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER—

I am instructed by the Council to inform the House that that the Council has passed

H. B. 39.—An act to prevent certain animals from running at large.

C. B. 70.—An act appropriation money to pay expenses of the Legislative Assembly in visiting Public Institution.

C. B. 80.—An act relating to Justices of the Peace and practice and jurisdiction.

C. B. 81.—An act relating to Liens

The same is herewith transmitted,

And that the President has signed the following bills reported as correctly enrolled.

C. B. 51.—An act in relation to counties.

C. B. 64.—An act to change the name of Emma Sophia Foster to Emma Sophia White and make her the heir at law of James White and Deborah F. White.

Report of committee on Counties,

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Counties to whom was referred.

C. B. 62.—An act to legalize county roads.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back with recommendation that it pass without amendment.

T. J. SMITH, *Chairman.*

Mr. Judson wanted to amend Sec. 3. by adding the words "and such" after the word "law" in line nine. Amendment adopted. Pending further discussion of the bill.

The House adjourned until 2 P. M.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

House called to order by the Speaker.

All the members present at roll call.

On motion of Mr. Preston,

The House took up

C. B. 16.—An act for the relief of the Oregon school for deaf mutes

Report of committee on Ways, Means and Claims.

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Ways, Means and Claims to whom was referred

C. B. 16.—An act for the relief of the Oregon school for deaf mutes.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back and recommend it do pass.

W. G. PRESTON, *Chairman.*

On motion of Mr. Preston,

The House took a short recess to allow Mr. Knight an opportunity of explaining the merits of the claims embodied in the bill

House called to order.

Read third time by title and placed on its final passage with the following result:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Clark, Cornwall, Judson, Karr, Kincade, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor, Van Eaton, Warman and Mr. Speaker—19.

Noes—Messrs. Dillon, Freeman, Holcomb, Kuhn, Smith of Klickitat—5.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

On motion the House adjourned.

GEORGE COMEGYS,
Speaker of the House.

E. R. BURK,
Chief Clerk.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Thursday, Nov. 3, 1881.

House called to or the Speaker.

All the members were present at roll call.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

Journal of yesterdey read and approved.

Mr. Judson introduced the following resolution:

Resolved by the House that a committee of three by appointed by the chair, with powers to send for persons and papers for the purpose of investigating the financial affairs of the Hospital for the Insane, and report fact and figures to the House.

Resolution adopted.

Speaker appointed as such committee Messrs. Judson, Smith of Whitman and Alexander.

Mr. Allen gave notice that he would tomorrow move to have appointed a standing committee on Penitentiary.

BILLS REPORTS AND OTHER BUSINESS LYING ON THE TABLE.

C. B. 62.—An act to legalize county roads.

Under discussion yesterday, was read third time and placed on its final passage with the following result:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Cornwall, Dillon, Judson, Karr, Kincaid, O'Neil, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Taylor, Warman—15.

Noes—Messrs. Clark, Freeman, Holcomb, Kuhn, Smith of Whitman, Steen and Mr. Speaker—7.

Absent—Messrs. Preston and Van Eaton—2.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

Message from the Council.

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
Nov. 2, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER—

I am instructed by the Council to inform the House that the Council has passed

C. B. 86.—Substitute for

H. J. R. 14.—An act authorizing chairman of committees of the Legislative Assembly to administer oaths in Legislative investigations, and the same are herewith transmitted.

C. B. 83.—An act in relation to their taking up of saw logs and other timber of value in Snake river.

C. B. 85.—An act to amend an act entitled an act permit-

ting foreign corporations to transact business acquire, hold and dispose of real estate

Also with amendment to Section 13.

H. B. 32.—An act in relation to quarrantine of vessels.

And the same are herewith transmitted for your action and concurrence.

Also that the President has signed

C. M. 5.—In relation to the admission of Washington and Northern Idado as a State.

C. B. 58—.An act to amend an act entitled An act relating to Justices of the Peace and to their practice and jurisisdiction approved Nov. 13, 1873.

Reported as correctly enrolled and transmitted herewith for your signature, also

H. B. 50.—An act authorizing Quincy Street Wharf Company to construct a wharf at Port Townsend.

H. B. 59.—An act authorizing county commissioners of Whitman county to sell certain real estate upon which the court house is located.

Herewith transmitted

R. G. O'BRIEN, *Chief Clerk.*

The Speaker gave notice he was about to sign the above mentioned bills.

Report of committee on Judiciary.

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Judiciary to whom was referred

C. B. 19.—An act to define the rights of married person.

Have had the same under consideration and a majority of said committee have instructed me to report the same back and recommend that it do not pass. J. A. KUHN, *Chairman.*

Mr. Rees in the chair.

On motion Sec. 4 was stricken out of the bill.

On motion of Mr. Comegys, the bill was made a special order of 2 P. M.

Message from the Council:

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
November 3, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER—

I am instructed by the Council to inform the House that the Council has passed with amendment.

H. B. 59.—An act to provide against the spread of contagious disease in Pacific county.

By exempting Chehalis county from the provisions of the bill, as provided in Sec. 16 of bill.

H. B. 69.—An act for the relief of Allen Weir.

H. B. 82.—An act to repeal an act entitled an act prohibiting the owners of hogs and sheep from permitting the same to run at large in Pacific county.

H. B. 52.—An act to amend an act entitled an act defining the jurisdiction and practice in the Probate courts of Washington Territory, approved Nov. 11, 1873.

H. B. 58.—An act to repeal an act entitled An act in relation to Notaries public, approved Nov. 14, 1879.

H. M. 8.—Praying for an appropriation for clearing Cathlapoodle river.

H. M. 9.—Relative to increased mail services to Alas river

Herewith returned.

I am also instructed to respectfully requested the return to the Council of

H. B. 14.—An act to incorporate the city of Dayton.

That the Council may consider some interpolation therein made.

R. G. O'BRIEN, *Chief Clerk.*

On motion the bill was returned to the Council.

Report of committee on Education,

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Education to whom was referred

H. B. 75.—An act limiting and regulating the granting of licenses for the sale of spirituous liquors within the Territory of Washington.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back and recommend that it be indefinitely postponed.

J. A. KARR, *Chairman.*

On motion the bill was indefinitely postponed

Report of committee on Ways, Means and Claims

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Ways, Means and Claims to whom was referred

H. B. 73.—An act for the relief of clerks and other employees of the present Legislative Assembly.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back with the recommendation that it do pass.

W. G. PRESTON, *Chairman.*

Mr. Comegys to amend by giving W. H. Hughes six dollars per day,

Amendment adopted.

Mr. Kuhn moved to amend by striking out the name of "Lizzie P. Ferry," and inserting the name of Cornelia Newton in its place. Amendment adopted.

Mr. Smith of Whitman moved to amend by giving John DeTiere six dollars per day,

Amended adopted.

The bill as amended was read third time after which it went to vote with the following result:

Ayes.—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Clark, Cornwall, Dillon, Freeman, Karr, Kincaid, Kuhn, O'Neil, Preston, Rees, Smith of

King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor, Warman, Mr. Speaker—19.

Noes—Messrs. Catlin and Holcomb—2.

Absent—Messrs. Judson, Raymond, Van Eaton—3.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

BILLS AND OTHER BUSINESS FROM THE COUNCIL.

C. B. 80.—An act relating to Jautices of the Peace and to their practice and jurisdiction

Read first time in part.

Read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

The bill was referred to the committee on Judiciary.

C. B. 81.—An act relating to liens.

Read first time in part,

Read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

The bill was referred to the committee on Judiciary.

H. B. 32.—An act relative to quarrantine of vessels

Returned from the Council amended.

The House concurred in the amendment.

H. B. 59.—An act to provide against the spread of contagious diseases in Pacific county.

Returned from the Council with amendment

On motion of Mr. Judson

The House concurred in the amendment.

C. B. 79.—An act appropriating money to pay expenses of the Legislative Assembly investigating public institutions.

Read first time. Read second time, by title under suspension of the rules.

And on motion was referred to the Joint committee on arrangements on visiting those institutions.

C. B. 85.—An act to amend an act entitled an act permitting foreign corporations to transact business and acquire, hold and dispose of real estate.

Read first time.

Read the second time by title under suspension of the rules.

And on motion referred to the committee on Judiciary

C. B. 83.—An act in relation to taking up of saw logs and other timber of value in Snake river.

Read first time.

Read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

And on motion referred to the Representatives from Columbia, Walla Wall and Whitman counties.

Speaker resumed the chair.

C. B. 86.—An act authorizing the chairmen of committees of the Legislative Assembly to administer oaths in Legislative investigations.

Read first time.

Read second time by title under suspension of the rules

On motion of Mr. Judson,

The rules were further suspended, and the bill considered engrossed.

Read the third time and placed on its final passage with the following result:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Catlin, Clark, Cornwall, Dillon, Freeman, Holcomb, Judson, Karr, Kincade, Kuhn, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor, Warman, Mr. Speaker—23.

Absent—Mr. Van Eaton—1.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

On motion the House adjourned until 2 P. M.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

House called to order by the Speaker.

All the members present at roll call.

On motion of Mr. Rees,

Messrs. Preston and Cornwall, were granted indefinite leave of absence on account of sickness.

House took up

C. B. 19.—An act defining the rights of married persons.

Mr. Smith of Whitman moved the following amendment:

Sec. 14 property not acquired or owned as prescribed in Set. 5 and 13, acquired after marriage by either huband or wife or both in partnership property.

Ayes and Noes being called for on the amendment resulted as follows:

Ayes.—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Holcomb, Kuhn, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Whitman, Taylor, Warman and Mr. Speaker—13.

Noes—Messrs. Catlin, Clark, Cornwall, Dillon, Karr, Kincaid, Freeman, Judson, Smith of Klickitat, Steen, Van Eaton —11.

Amendment adopted.

Mr. Smith of Whitman moved to strike out "Community" where ever it occurred in the bill and insert "Partnership."

Motion carried, the bill as amended, read the third time, and went to vote with the following result:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Clark, Dillon, Holcomb, O'Neil, Preston, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor, Warman Mr. Speaker—14.

Noes—Messrs. Catlin, Cornwall, Freeman, Judson, Karr, Kincade, Kuhn, Raymond, Smith of Klickitat, Van Eaton—10.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

PETITION, MEMORIALS AND REMONSTANCES.

Mr. Kincaid introduced,

H. M. 10.—Relative to removing obstructions from numerous rivers empting into Puget Sound.

Read first time and also second time under suspension of the rules.

On motion of Mr. Kincaid the rules were further suspended and the resolution,

Read the third time and placed on its final passage, with the following result:

All members voted aye—24.

The memorial passed.

PROPOSITIONS AND MOTIONS.

Mr. Kincaid introduced,

H. B. 83.—An act prohibiting the owners of hogs from permitting to same to run at large on Fidelgo Island, Whatcom county.

Read first time, read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

And on motion referred to the committee on Counties.

ENGROSSED BILLS READ THIRD TIME.

Report of committee on Engrossed bills.

MR. SPEAKER—

Your Committee on Engrossed bills to whom was referred

H. B. 16.—An act relating to elections and the mode of supplying vacancies.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back properly engrossed.

R. P. STEEN, *Chairman.*

Read third time by title and placed on final passage resulted as follows:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Cornwall, Dillon, Freeman, Holcomb, Judson, Karr, Kincaid, Kuhn, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Taylor, Van Eaton, Warman and Speaker—22.

Noes—Messrs. Clark and Steen—2.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Report of Committee on Military Affairs.

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Military Affairs to whom was re-referred

Report of sale of arms and ammunition by Thurston county, with direction to report by bill or otherwise,

Have had the same under consideration and report that the matter has been referred to the Territorial Auditor with instructions to settle the same for the best interests of the territory.

JAS. O'NEIL, *Chairman.*

On motion the report was adopted.

Report of Committee on Corporations,

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Corporations to whom was referred

H. B. 81.—An act to confer a city government upon Tacoma.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back with the following amendments: Insert "New" before Ta-

coma wherever it occurs. Strike out all after the word "water" in line 4, page 9 of Sec. 2. Insert after the word "printing" in line 6, Sec. 6, page 10 the words "upon the proposed amendment." Strike out the words "and pauper" in line 5, Sec. 11, page 11. Add at the end of Sec. 16, page 14, the following: "and provided that one third of the liquor and beer license shall be paid by the City Treasurer on receipt thereof to the county treasurer of Pierce county for the general county fund.

O. KINCADE, *Chairman.*

On motion the report was adopted.

The bill as amended was read the third time by title and went to vote with the following result:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Cornwall, Dillon, Freeman, Judson, Karr, Kincaid, Kuhn, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor, Van Eaton, Warman and Speaker—22.

Noes—Mr. Holcomb—1.

Absent—Mr. Clark—1.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

Report of committee on Judiciary.

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Judiciary to whom was referred

C. B. 80.—Relative to Justices of the Peace and their practice and jurisdiction

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back and recommend that it do pass.

J. A. KUHN, *Chairman.*

The bill was read the third time and placed on its final passage with the following result:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Clark, Cornwall, Freeman, Holcomb, Judson, Karr, Kuhn, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond. Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor, Van Eaton, Warman, Mr. Speaker—22.

Noes—Mr. Dillon—1.

Absent—Mr. Kincaid.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

Also, your committee on Judiciary to whom was referred

H. B. 46.—An act defining slander, and providing for the punishment thereof.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back with the recommendation that it do pass,

J. A. KUHN, *Ch'n Committee.*

On motion the bill was recommitted.

Also, your committee on Judiciary to whom was referred

H. B. 26.—An act in relation to probate judges.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back with recommendation that it do pass.

J. A. KUHN, *Chairman.*

On motion the bill was so amended as to include Clallam, Jefferson, Mason, Whatcom, Island, Snohomish and San Juan counties in its provisions.

Bill read the third time as amended and went to vote with the following result:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Clark, Cornwall, Dillon, Freeman, Holcomb, Judson, Karr, Kincaid, Kuhn, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor, Van Eaton Warman, Mr. Speaker—24.

Bill passed and title amended to read, "An act in relation to probate judges in certain counties agreed to.

Also, your committee on Judiciary to whom was referred

H. B. 76.—An act to amend Sec. 225 of the criminal practice act of 1873.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back and recommend that it do pass.

J. A. KUHN, *Chairman.*

Mr. Smith of King in the chair.

The bill read third time and went to vote with the following result:

Ayes—Messrs. Dillon, Holcomb, Kuhn, Smith of King—4.

Noes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Clark, Cornwall, Freeman, Judson, Karr, Kincaid, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor, Van Eaton, Warman and Mr. Speaker—20.

House refused to pass the bill.

Report of committee on Privileges and Elections.

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Privileges and Elections to whom was referred

H. B. 70.—An act to confer the right of suffrage on Women citizens,

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back without recommendation.

J. A. KARR, *Chairman.*

A call of the House being demanded, Messrs. Cornwall and Kuhn were found absent. The absent members returning, further call was dispensed with.

Read the third time and went to vote with the following result:

Ayes—Messrs. Allen, Clark, Holcomb, Kincaid, Kuhn, O'Neil, Preston, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor—12.

Noes—Messrs. Alexander, Catlin, Cornwall, Dillon, Freeman, Judson, Karr, Raymond, Smith of Klickitat, Warman, Van Eaton and Mr. Speaker—12.

House refused to pass the bill.

Mr. Raymond moved to reconsider the vote by which the House refused to pass the bill.

Motion carried and vote reconsidered. The question being "shall the bill pass?" went to vote again with the following result:

Ayes—Messrs. Allen, Clark, Holcomb, Kincaid, Kuhn, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor—13.

Noes—Messrs. Alexander, Catlin, Cornwall, Dillon, Freeman, Judson, Karr, Smith of Klickitat, Van Eaton, Warman, Mr. Speaker—11.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

House took a recess for a few minutes, after which it was called to order again.

Mr. Holcomb moved that the Clerk be instructed to report the bill to the Council now.

Ayes and noes being called for resulted as follows.

Ayes—Messrs. Allen, Clark, Holcomb, Kincaid, Kuhn, Preston, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Whitman, Taylor, Mr. Speaker—12.

Noes—Messrs. Alexander, Catlin, Cornwall. Dillon, Freeman, Judson, Karr, O'Neil, Smith of Klickitat, Steen, Van Eaton, Warman—12.

Motion lost.

On motion the House adjourned.

GEORGE COMEGYS,
Speaker of the House.

E. R. BURK,
Chief Clerk.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Friday Nov. 4, 1881.

House called to order by the Speaker.

At roll call all members answered to their names but Messrs. Cornwall and Preston—Absent on leave.

Prayer by the chaplain.

Journal of yesterday read and approved.

On motion of Mr. Kuhn, the Council was requested to return H. B. 1.—An act to establish Pilots and Pilot regulations for San Juan de Fuca straits, Puget Sound and all American waters pertaining thereto,

Motion carried and bill returned.

On motion the vote by which the bill was passed was reconsidered.

On motion of Mr. Kuhn,

Sections 31, 32 and 33 were amended.

The bill amended was read the third time and went to vote with the following result:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Dillon, Freeman, Holcomb, Judson, Karr, Kincaid, Kuhn, O'Neil, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor, Warman, Van Eaton and Mr. Speaker—21.

Absent—Mr. Clark—1.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Smith of King,

Mr. Raymond was granted indefinite leave of absence on account of sickness in his family.

PETITIONS, MEMORIALS AND REMONSTRANCES.

H. M. 11.—Relative to additional mail service on route No. 43,108, between Seattle and Bellingham bay.

Read first time.

Read second time by title under suspension of rules.

On motion referred to the Committee on Memorials and Federal Relations.

The following telegram received by Governor Newell was read:

Washington, D. C., Oct. 17.

Received at Olympia, Oct. 18.

To the Hon. W. A. Newell:

(1.) The members of the Territorial Legislature are prohibited by Sec. 1855 of the revised statutes from voting themselves additional compensation. Congress by the act of March 3rd, 1881, having made an appropriation for postage for Officers of the Territory the members of the Legislature are precluded from voting themselves any addition amount for the purpose.

L. G. KIRKWOOD, *Sec'y.*

Message from the Council.

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
November 3, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER—

I am instructed by the Council to inform the House that the Council has passed

C. B. 52.—An act in relation to County Treasurer.

C. B. 87.—An act defining the jurisdiction and practice in the Probate Courts of W. T.

C. B. 88.—An act to authorize the county of Whatcom, to reimburse G. W. L. Allen ex-Sheriff of that county in the sum of $275.00.

And the same is herewith transmitted for your action.

H. B. 81.—An act to confer city government upon Tacoma.

Herewith returned.

R. G. O'BRIEN, *Chief Clerk.*

The above mentioned bill was on motion referred to Messrs. Judson and Evans the delegation from Pierce county.

PROPOSITIONS AND MOTION.

Mr. Holcomb introduced,

H. J. R. 17.—Relative to postage.

Read the first time also, the second time by title under suspension of the rules.

On motion of Mr. Steen,

The rules were further suspended and the resolution read third time and placed on its final passage with the following result:

Ayes.—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Clark, Dillon, Freeman, Holcomb, Judson, Karr, Kuhn, O'Neil, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Steen, Taylor, Warman, Van Eaton and Mr. Speaker—20.

Absent—Messrs. Kincaid and Smith of Whitman—2.

Resolution passed.

The Speaker appointed as committee on the part of the House Messrs. Holcomb and Allen.

The clerk was instructed to report same to Council at once.

Mr. Judson introduced,

H. B 84.—An act to regulate the government of the Hospital for the Insane.

Read first time in part.

Read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

And on motion referred to the committee on Hospital for the Insane, with instruction to print.

Mr. Judson introduced,

H. B. 85.—An act to authorize the county Commissioners of Pierce county to appoint county Assessor.

Read first time and also second time by title, under suspension of the rules.

And on motion was referred to the Committee on Counties

Mr. Holcomb introduced,

H. B. 86.—An act to amend the charter of the city of Goldendale.

Read first time.

Read second time by title, under suspension of the rules.

And on motion referred to the representatives from Klickitat county.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Report of committee on Enrolled bills

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Enrolled bills to whom was referred

H. B. 23.—An act to amend an act entitled an act to appropriate one-half of the Territorial tax of Snohomish county for the year 1880, for the purpose of building a Territorial road therein.

H. B. 37.—An act to prevent the spread of Chinese and Canada Thistles.

H. B. 38.—An act relating to city and town plats,

H. B. 39.—An act to prevent certain animals from running at large

H. B. 51.—An act authorizing the county commissioners of the several counties to appropriate money for the improvement of roads and buildings and repairing bridges,

H. J. R. 16.—Permitting the Supreme Court of W. T. to use the Capitol Building,

H. B. 59.—An act to provide against the spread of contagious disease in Pacific county.

H. B. 32.—An act in relation to the quarantine of vessels.

Have compared the same with the original bills and find them correctly enrolled. R. R. REES, *Chairman.*

The Speaker gave notice he was about to sign the above bills

Report of special committee

MR. SPEAKER—

Your Committee to whom was referred

C. B. 79.—An act appropriating money to pay expenses of the Legislative Assembly in visiting public institutions.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back with the recommendation that it do pass.

L. P. SMITH, *Chairman.*

The bill was read the third time and went to vote with the following result:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Clark, Dillon, Freeman, Kincaid, Kuhn, O'Neil, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor, Warman, Van Eaton, Mr. Speaker—17.

Noes—Messrs. Catlin, Judson, Karr, Smith of Klickitat—4.

Absent—Mr. Holcomb—1.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

Report of committee on Ways, Means and Claims

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Ways, Means and Claims to whom was referred

H. B. 68.—An act to provide for the assessing and collecting of County and Territorial revenue.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back for your consideration.

O. KINCAID, *Chariman.*

On motion of Mr. Kuhn,

The bill was laid on the table.

BILLS AND OTHER BUSINESS FROM THE COUNCIL.

C. B. 87.—An act defining the jurisdiction and practice of the Probate Courts of W. T.

Read first time in part.

Read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

And on motion referred to the committee on judiciary.

C. B. 88.—An act to authorize the county of Whatcom to to reimburse G. W. L. Allen, the ex-sheriff of that county, in the sum of $275.

Read first time. Read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

The bill was referred to the committee on Counties.

C. B. 52.—An act in relation to county treasurers,

Read first time.

Read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

And on motion referred to the committee on judiciary.

Mr. Kuhn moved to take from the table.

H. B. 53.—An act to regulate fees and costs,

Motion lost.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

House called to order by the Speaker.

All the members present at roll call but Messrs. Cornwall, Preston and Raymond—absent on leave.

A message was received from the Governor, relative to the Territorial University which

On motion of Mr. Judson, was ordered printed.

On leave Mr. Kuhn from the Judiciary committee reported

C. B. 87.—An act defining the jurisdiction and practice in the Probate courts in Washington Territory.

Favorable.

The bill was read third time by title and placed on its final passage with the following result:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Clark, Dillon, Freeman, Holcomb, Judson, Karr, Kincaid, Kuhn, O'Neil, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor, Warman, Van Eaton and Mr. Speaker—

Bill passed and title agreed to.

Message from the Council.

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
Nov. 4, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER—

I am instructed by the Council to inform the House that the Council has refused to concur in the House amendment to

C. B. 62.—An act to legalize county roads.

Herewith returned and ask the House to recede from its action, also substitute for

C. B. 19.—An act defining the rights of married persons.

And ask a committee of Conference and announce as committee on part of Council, Messrs. Calhoun, Evans and Hoover.

And that the Council has passed,

H. J. R. 17—Relative to postage.

H. M. 10.—Asking for aid in clearing rivers.

C. B. 76.—An act to amend an act to prevent and punish gambling.

C. B. 91.—An act to reimburse the judges of the District Courts for expenses in holding terms at which no United States business can be transacted,

And the same are herewith transmitted

And that the President has signed

C. B. 39.—An act to amend an act entitled An act relating to Justices of the Peace and to their practice and jurisdiction approved Nov. 13, 1873.

C. B. 67.—An act for the relief of Paine Bro's.

And the same are herewith transmitted for your signature.

R. G. O'BRIEN, *Chief Clerk.*

The Speaker gave notice he was about to sign the above mentioned bills.

The House took up

H. B. 53.—An act to regulate fees and costs.

House took a recess subject to the call of the House.

House call to order.

Mr. Rees in the chair.

Mr. Holcomb's motion to indefinitely postpone the bill, was lost.

Mr. Kuhn introduced the following amendment:

Sec. 26, This act shall not apply to the counties of Whatcom, Clallam, Jefferson, Mason, Island, San Juan, Snohomish, Walla Walla, Thurston, Whitman, Klickitat, Stevens, Pacific, Skamania, Chehalis, King, Wakhiakum.

Amendment adopted.

On motion of Mr. Judson, the bill was made the special order for Monday at 2 P. M.

Message from the Council:

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
November 4, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER—

I am instructed by the Council to inform the House that the Council has reconsidered and amended,

H. B. 14.—An act to incorporate the city of Dayton,

By striking out in Secs. 126 and 127 the words "or the formerly so-called City of Dayton,"

And the same is herewith returned.

R. G. O'BRIEN, *Chief Clerk.*

On leave Mr. Kuhn made the following report

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Judiciary to whom was referred

C. B. 49.—An act to cure defective deeds to real property in Washington Territory.

Have had the same under consideration and a majority of your said committee have instructed me to report the same back and recommend that it do not pass.

J. A. KUHN, *Chairman.*

A motion was made to adopt the report.

Ayes and Noes being called for resulted as follows:

Ayes—Messrs. Dillon, Holcomb, Kincaid, Kuhn, O'Neil,

Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Warman, Mr. Speaker—11.

Noes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Clark, Catlin, Freeman, Judson, Karr, Smith of Klickitat, Taylor, Van Eaton—10.

Report adopted, thereby killing the bill.

On motion the House adjourned.

GEORGE COMEGYS,
Speaker of the House.

E. R. BURK,
Chief Clerk.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Saturday, Nov. 5, 1881.

House called to order by the Speaker.

All members present at roll call but Messrs. Cornwall, Preston and Raymond—Absent on leave.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

Mr. Kuhn in the chair.

Journal of yesterday read and approved.

Message from the Governor:

EXECUTIVE CHAMBER, Nov. 4, 1881.

I have this day signed the following House bills.

H. B. 50.—An act authorizing Quincy Street Wharf Company to construct a wharf at Port Townsend.

H. B. 57.—An act authorize the County commissioners of Whitman county to sell certain real estate and purchase other real estate,

W. A. NEWELL.

Speaker resumed the chair.

Report of committee on Enrolled bills,

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Enrolled bills to whom was referred

H. B. 58.—An act to repeal an act entitled An act in relation to Notaries public, approved Nov. 13, 1879.

H. B. 82.—An act to repeal an act entitled an act prohibiting the owners of hogs and sheep from permitting the same to run at large in Pacific county.

H. B. 52.—An act to amend an act entitled an act defining the jurisdiction and practice in the Probate courts of Washington Territory, approved Nov. 11, 1873.

H. B. 69.—An act for the relief of Allen Weir.

H. M. 8.—To remove obstructions on the Cathlapoodle river

H. M. 9.—Relative to increased mail service to Alaska.

H. B. 81. An act to confer a city government upon New Tacoma and

H. M. 10.—Praying Congress for aid to remove obstructions from numerous rivers emptying into Puget Sound and

H. J. R. 17.—Relative to postage

Have compared the same with the original bill and report them back as correctly enrolled,

R. R. REES, *Chairman.*

The Speaker gave notice that he was about to sign the above bills

Mr. Kuhn resumed the chair again.

PROPOSITIONS AND MOTIONS.

Mr. Dillon introduced,

H. B. 87.—An act to amend the Washington school law.

Read first time, also second time by title under suspension of the rules.

And on motion referred to the committee on Education

Mr. Dillon introduced,

H. B. 88.—An act for the relief of the Sisters of Charity at Vancouver.

Read first time. Read second time by title under suspension of the rules,

And on motion referred to the committee on Ways, Means and Claims.

Mr. O'Neil introduced,

H. B. 89.—An act to incorporate the City of Spokan Falls.

Read first time in part and also second time under suspension of the rules.

And on motion the bill was referred to the committee on Corporations.

House took a recess after which it resumed business.

Mr. Steen introduced

H. B. 90.—An act for the relief of T. J. Mewhinney, assessor of Columbia county.

Read first time. Read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

And on motion referred to the Representatives from Columbia county.

Mr. Allen moved that a standing committee on Penitentiary be appointed. Motion carried.

Mr. Judson introduced,

H. B. 91.—An act to amend an act entitled an act in relation to the collection of licenses in the Cities of Tacoma and Steilacoom.

Read first time.

Read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

The bill was referred to the Committee on Education.

Message from the Council:

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
Nov. 5, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER—

I am instructed by the Council to inform the House that the President has signed

C. B. 86.—An act authorizing the chairmen of committees of the Legislative Assembly to administer oaths in Legislative investigations.

Reported correctly enrolled and transmitted for your signature, also

H. B. 38.—An act relating to city and town plats.

H. B. 32.—An act relative to quarantine of vessels

H. B. 37.—An act to prevent the spread of Chinese and Canada thistles,

H. B. 39.—An act to prevent certain animals from running at large.

H. B. 51.—An act authorizing the County Commissioners of the several counties to appropriate money for improvement of roads and building and repairing bridges.

H. B. 33.—An act to amend an act entitled An act to appropriate one-half of the Territorial tax of Snohomish county for year 1880 for the purpose of building a Territorial road therein

H. B. 59.—An act to provide against the spread of contagious diseases in Pacific county.

H. J. R. 16.—Permitting the Supreme Court of Washington Territory to use the Capitol Building.

H. B. 81.—An act conferring City government upon New Tacoma.

The same is herewith returned,

R. G. O'BRIEN, *Chief Clerk.*

BILLS, REPORTS, AND OTHER BUSINESS LYING ON THE TABLE.

Report of committee on Counties

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Counties to whom was referred

H. B. 83.—An act preventing hogs from running at large on Fidelgo Island, Whatcom county.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back with recommendation that it do pass.

T. J. SMITH, *Chairman.*

Read third time and went to vote with the following result:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Freeman, Judson, Karr, Kincaid, O'Neil, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Taylor, Warman and Van Eaton—13.

Noes—Messrs. Catlin, Clark, Dillon, Holcomb, Kuhn, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Mr. Speaker—8.

Bill passed and title agreed to, also

Your Committee on Counties to whom was referred

C. B. 88.—An act authorizing the county of Whatcom to reimburse G. W. L. Allen, ex-Sheriff of that county in the sum of $275.00.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back with the recommendation that it pass.

T. J. SMITH, *Chairman.*

The bill was read third time and went to vote with the following result:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Clark, Dillon, Judson, Karr, Kincaid, Kuhn, O'Neil, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor, Warman, Van Eaton—17.

Noes—Mr. Holcomb—1.

Absent—Messrs. Freeman and Mr. Speaker—2.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

Mr. Holcomb moved to take up

C. B. 60.—An act to attach the county of Yakima to the second Judicial District.

Motion lost, also

Your committee to whom was referred

H. B. 63.—An act providing that insurance agents shall pay license.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back with the following amendments:

Strike out in Sec. 2, second line the word "Commissioners" and insert Auditor, and in Sec. 4 second line, strike out the "seal of Commissioners Court" and insert Official Seal, and recommend that it pass,

J. T. Smith, *Chairman.*

The above amendments were adopted and the bill as amended read third time and placed on its final passage with the following result:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Clark, Dillon, Judson, Karr, Kincaid, Kuhn, O'Neil, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Steen, Taylor, Warman, Van Eaton—16.

Noes—Messrs. Catlin, Freeman, Holcomb, Smith of Whitman—4.

Absent—Mr. Speaker—1.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

Report of committee on Memorials and Federal Relations

Mr. Speaker—

Your committee on Memorials and Federal Relations to whom was referred

H. M. 11.—Relative to increased mail service on route No. 43,108, from Seattle to Bellingham Bay.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back and recommend it do pass.

W. W. Holcomb, *Chairman.*

The Memorial was read third time and went to vote with the following result:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Clark, Dillon, Freeman, Holcomb, Judson, Karr, Kincaid, Kuhn, O'Neil, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor, Warman, Van Eaton—19.

Absent—Messrs. Catlin and Speaker—2.

The memorial was passed.

On motion of Mr. Alexander,

The House adjourned until 2 P. M. on Monday.

GEORGE COMEGYS,
Speaker of the House.

E. R. BURK,
Chief Clerk.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Monday, Nov. 7, 1881.

House called to order by the Speaker at 2 P. M.

All the members were present at roll call but Messrs. Cornwall, Preston and Raymond absent on leave.

Journal of Saturday read and approved.

The Speaker appointed as Standing committee on Penitentiary, Messrs. Allen, Rees and Smith of Klickitat.

PETITIONS, MEMORIALS AND REMONSTRANCES.

Mr. Judson introduced,

H. M. 12.—For the relief of Allen L. Porter.

Read first time.

The bill was read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

And on motion referred to the committee on Memorials and Federal Relations.

Mr. Kuhn introduced.

H. M. 13.—In relation to the harbor of Neah Bay in W. T.

Read first time.

Read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

And on motion referred to the committee on Memorials and Federal relations.

Message from the Council:

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
Nov. 7, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER—

I am instructed by the Council to inform the House that that the Council has passed

H. M. 11—Relative to additional mail service on route No. 43,108, between Seattle and Bellingham bay.

H. B. 54.—An act to amend an act entitled An act to encourage the cultivation of oysters.

Herewith returned, also

C. B. 93.—An act for the relief of John G. Justice and others

C. B. 94.—An act authorizing the Gov. to grant a rebate to Territorial Convicts, for uniform good conduct.

Which are herewith transmitted for your consideration, and that the Council has refused to pass

H. B. 70.—An act to confer the rights of suffrage on women citizens.

R. G. O'BRIEN, *Chief Clerk.*

The Speaker gave notice of signing,

C. B. 86.—An act authorizing chairmen of committees of the Legislative Assembly to administer oaths in Legislative investigations.

PROPOSITIONS AND MOTIONS.

Mr. Kuhn introduced,

H. B. 92.—An act to amend an act entitled an act to provide for the inspection and measurement of logs and the formation of lumber districts, approved Nov. 11, 1879.

Read first time.

Read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

And on motion referred to the committee on Counties.

Mr. Kincaid introduced,

H. B. 93.—An act in relation to retail licenses.

Read first time.

Read second time by title under suspension of rules.

The bill was referred to the committee on Counties.

Message from the Council.

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
November 8, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER—

I am instructed by the Council to inform the House that the Council has passed

C. B. 96.—An act to appropriate money for Territorial Library purpose.

C. B. 98.—An act relative to blind persons.

And that the President has signed.

C. B. 79.—An act appropriating money to pay expenses of the Legislative Assembly investigating public institutions.

And the same are transmitted herewith for your consideration and signature. R. G. O'BRIEN, *Chief Clerk.*

Speaker gave notice that he was about to sign the above bill

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Report of committee on Military Affairs.

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Military Affairs to whom was referred

H. B. 36.—An act to organize the Militia of the Territory of Washington.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back with the recommendation that it do pass,

JAS. O'NEIL, *Chairman.*

The bill was referred to the committee on Ways, Means and Claims.

BILLS AND OTHER BUSINESS FROM THE COUNCIL.

On motion of Mr. Kuhn the House concurred in the Council amendments to

H. B. 14.—An act to incorporate the city of Dayton.

C. B. 62.—An act to Legalize County roads.

Was returned from the Council asking the House to recede from its amendment

On motion the House refused to recede from its amendments, and asked the appointment of a committee of conference.

The Speaker appointed as such committee on the part of the House Messrs. Kuhn and Judson.

The Council refused to concur in the House amendments to Substitute for

C. B. 19.—An act to define the rights of married person.

And ask the appointment of a committee of Conference.

Mr. Smith of Whitman moved that a committee of conference by appointed.

Motion carried and Messrs. Smith of Whitman, Smith of King and Kuhn were appoined as such committee.

Substitute for

C. B. 76.—An act to amend an act to prevent and punish gambling.

Read first time.

Read second time by title under suspension of the rules

And on motion referred to the committee on Judiciary

C. B. 91.—An act to reimburse the judges of the District Courts for expenses in holding terms at which no U. S. Business is transacted.

Read first time. There being no abjections the bill was read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

The bill was referred to the committee on Judiciary.

C. B. 93.—An act for the relief of J. G. Justice and others.

Read first time.

Read the second time by title under suspension of the rules.

And on motion was referred to the Represetatives from Whitman county.

C. B. 94.—An act authorizing the Gov. to grant a rebeat to Territorial convicts, for uniform good conduct.

Read first time,

Read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

On motion referred to the Committee on Penitentiary Affairs.

C. B. 96.—An act to appropriate money for Territorial Library purposes.

Read the first time also the second time by title under suspension of the rules.

And on motion referred to the committee on Ways, Means and Claims.

C. B. 98.—An act relative to blind persons.

Read first time. Read second time, by title under suspension of the rules.

The bill was referred to the committee on Judiciary.

On motion of Mr. Holcomb,

The House took from the table.

H. B. 65.—An act to prevent cruelty to convicts.

The bill read third time in part, discussed.

On motion of Mr. Karr,

Laid on the table again.

On motion the House adjourned.

GEORGE COMEGYS,
Speaker of the House.

E. R. BURK,
Chief Clerk.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Tuesday Nov. 8, 1881.

House called to order by the Speaker.

At roll call all members answered to their names but Messrs. Cornwall, Preston and Raymond—absent on leave—and Mr. Warman.

Prayer by the chaplain.

Journal of yesterday read and approved.

PROPOSITIONS AND MOTION.

Mr. Allen introduced,

H. B. 94.—An act appropriating money for a wagon road over the Cascade mountains.

Read first time.

Read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

And on motion referred to the committee on Roads and Highways.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

Report of committee on Education

MR. SPEAKER—

Your Committee on Education to whom was referred

H. B. 91.—An act to amend an act entitled an act in relation to the collection of licenses in the Cities of Tacoma and Steilacoom.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back and recommend that it do pass.

J. A. KARR, *Chairman.*

The bill read third time and went to vote with the following result:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Catlin, Clark, Dillon, Freeman, Holcomb, Judson, Karr, Kincaid, Kuhn, O'Neil, Rees, Smith, of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor, Van Eaton and Mr. Speaker—19.

Absent—Messrs. Allen and Warman—2.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

Report of committee on Ways, Means and Claims

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Ways, Means and Claims to whom was referred

C. B. 96.—An act to appropriate money for Territorial Library purpose.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back with the recommendation that it do pass.

O. KINCAID, *Chariman.*

The bill was read the third time and went to vote with the following result:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Clark, Dillon, Freeman, Holcomb, Judson, Karr, Kincaid, Kuhn, O'Neil, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor, Van Eaton, Warman and Mr. Speaker—21.

Bill passed and title agreed to, also

Your committee on Ways, Means and Claims to whom was referred

H. B. 80.—An act to regulate interest on Territorial and County warrants.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back and recommend that it do not pass.

O. KINCADE, *Chairman.*

On motion the report was adopted.

House refused to pass the bill.

Report of committee on Enrolled bills

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Enrolled bills to whom was referred

H. B. 14.—An act to corporate the City of Dayton,

H. B. 54.—An act to amend an act entitled An act to encourage the cultivation of oysters.

H. M. 11.—Relative to increased mail service on route No. 43,108, from Seattle to Bellingham Bay.

Have compared the same with the original bills and find them correctly enrolled.

R. R. REES, *Chairman.*

The Speaker gave notice he was about to sign the above bills and memorials

Mr. Smith of King in the chair.

Report of committee on Judiciary.

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Judiciary to whom was referred

C. B. 81.—An act relating to Liens

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back with the recommendation that it do pass,

J. A. KUHN, *Chairman.*

On motion of Mr. Rees, the bill was referred to the same committee

Report of committee on Memorials and Federal Relations.

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Memorials and Federal Relations to whom was referred

H. M. 15.—In relation to the harbor of Neah Bay in W. T.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back without recommendation.

W. W. HOLCOMB, *Chairman.*

Mr. Kuhn moved to amend by striking out the word "imical," and inserting "all persons". Amendment adopted.

Mr. Kuhn moved to further amend by striking out the word "whims" and inserting the word "orders". Amendment adopted.

The memorial as amended was read third time and placed on its final passage with the following result:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Clark, Freeman, Karr, Kincaid, Kuhn, O'Neil, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor, Warman—15.

Noes—Messrs. Catlin, Dillon, Van Eaton—3.

Absent—Messrs. Holcomb, Judson and Mr. Speaker—3.

The memorial passed.

Report of committee on Counties,

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Counties to whom was referred.

H. B. 92.—An act to amend an act entitled an act to provide for the inspection and measurement of logs and the formation of lumber districts, approved Nov. 11, 1879.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back with recommendation that it do pass.

L. P. SMITH, *Chairman.*

Mr. Warman moved to amend by exempting Pacific county from the provision of the bill.

Ayes and noes being called for resulted as follows.

Ayes—Messrs. Allen, Catlin, Clark, Dillon, Karr, Kuhn, O'Neil, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Taylor, Warman, Van Eaton—13.

Noes—Messrs. Freeman, Judson, Kincaid, Steen—4.

Absent—Messrs. Alexander, Holcomb, Rees and Mr. Speaker—4.

Amendment adopted.

The bill as amended was read the third time by title and went to vote with the following result:

Ayes.—Messrs. Allen, Clark, Dillon, Freeman, Judson, Karr, Kincaid, Kuhn, O'Neil, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor, Warman, Van Eaton—16.

Noes—Mr. Catlin—1.

Absent—Messrs. Alexander, Holcomb, Rees, Mr. Speaker—4.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

On motion the House adjourned until 2 P. M.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

House called to order by the Speaker.

All the members present at roll call but Messrs. Cornwall, Preston and Raymond—absent on leave.

BILLS, REPORTS, AND OTHER BUSINESS LYING ON THE TABLE.

Report of committee on Counties

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Counties to whom was referred

H. B. 77.—Substitute for

H. B. 7.—An act to appropriate money for the Territorial University

Have had the same under consideration and being of opinion that this House understands the subject matter therein contained as well this committee beg leave to report the same back without recommendation.

T. J. SMITH, *Chairman.*

Mr. Kuhn in the chair,

Read third time and went to vote with the following result:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Clark, Holcomb, Karr, Kincaid, Kuhn, O'Neil, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Taylor, Van Eaton and Warman—14.

Noes—Messrs. Catlin, Dillon, Freeman, Judson, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Mr. Speaker—7.

Bill passed and title agreed to, also

Your committee on Counties to whom was referred

H. B. 93.—An act in relation to retail licenses.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back with recommendation that it pass

T. J. SMITH, *Chairman.*

The bill was read third time and went to vote with the following result:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Clark, Dillon, Karr, Kincaid, Kuhn, O'Neil, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Steen, Taylor, Van Eaton, Warman and Mr. Speaker—16.

Noes—Messrs. Freeman, Rees and Smith of Whitman—3.

Absent—Messrs. Holcomb and Judson—2.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

Message from the Council:

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
Nov. 8, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER—

I am instructed by the Council to inform the House that the President has signed

C. B. 16.—An act for the relief of the Oregon school for deaf mutes.

And the same is herewith transmitted for your signature.

And that the Council has passed,

C. B. 72.—An act for the benefit of Territorial convicts.

H. B. 73.—An act for the relief of clerks and other employees of the present Legislative Assembly

With amendment.

C. B. 99.—An act for the better preservation of game and fish in the County of Walla Walla.

C. B. 100.—An act to amend an act entitled An act to declare certain persons habitual drunkards and to protect them and others in person and property, approved Nov. 14, 1879.

C. B. 105.—An act for the relief of C. Todd.

C. B. 106.—An act for the relief of Theodore Davie.

And that the President has signed

H. J. R. 17—Relative to postage.

H. M. 8.—Praying for an appropriation for clearing Cathlapoodle river.

H. M. 9.—Relative to increased mail services to Alaska river

H. M. 10.—Asking for aid in clearing rivers.

H. B. 52.—An act to amend an act entitled an act defining the jurisdiction and practice in the Probate courts of Washington Territory, approved Nov. 11, 1873.

H. B. 58.—An act to repeal an act entitled An act in relation to Notaries public, approved Nov. 13, 1879.

H. B. 69.—An act for the relief of Allen Weir.

H. B. 82.—An act to repeal an act entitled an act prohibiting the owners of hogs and sheep from permitting the same to run at large in Pacific county.

Report of committee on Judiciary

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Judiciary to whom was referred

C. B. 91.—An act to reimburse the judges of the District Courts for expenses in holding terms at which no United States business can be transacted,

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back with the recommendation that it pass.

J. A. KUHN, *Chairman.*

The bill was read third time and went to vote with the following result:

Ayes—Messrs. Holcomb, Kincaid, Kuhn, O'Neil, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Warman, Speaker—10.

Noes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Clark, Dillon, Freeman, Judson, Karr, Smith of Klickitat, Taylor and Van Eaton—11.

House refused to pass the bill.

Mr. Smith of Klickitat moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was lost.

On motion of Mr. Rees,

The bill was referred to the committee on Judiciary.

Message from the Council:

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
November 8, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER—

I am instructed by the Council to inform the House that the Council has passed

C. J. R. 21.—Relative to printing New Code.

Herewith returned for your consideration

R. G. O'BRIEN, *Chief Clerk.*

Mr. Allen moved to reconsider the vote by which the House passed

H. B. 92.—An act to amend an act entitled an act to provide for the inspection and measurement of logs and the formation of lumber districts, approved Nov. 11, 1879.

Motion carried and vote reconsidered.

On motion of Mr. Allen the bill was referred to the committee on Counties.

Report of Committee on Judiciary,

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Judiciary to whom was referred

C. B. 85.—An act to amend an act entitled an act permitting foreign corporations to transact business and acquire, hold and dispose of real estate.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back and recommend it do pass.

J. A. KUHN, *Ch'n Committee.*

Read the third time and went to vote with the following result:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Clark, Holcomb, Judson, Karr, Kincaid, Kuhn, O'Neil, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor, and Mr. Speaker—16.

Noes—Messrs. Dillon, Freeman, Smith of Klickitat, Van Eaton, Warman—5.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

Also, your committee on Judiciary to whom was referred

C. B. 76.—An act to amend an act to prevent and punish gambling.

H. B. 46.—An act defining slander, and providing for the punishment thereof.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back with recommendation they it do not pass.

J. A. KUHN, *Chairman.*

On motion the report was adopted the House refused to pass the bills.

Also, your committee on Judiciary to whom was referred

C. B. 46.—An act to provide for the regulation of the practice of medicine and for the registration of all practitioners of medicine and surgery.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back with an amendment. J. A. KUHN, *Chairman.*

On motion the amendment was adopted.

The bill was read the third time pending its final passage

Recess for two minutes was taken.

The bill went to vote with the following result:

Ayes—Messrs. Allen, Catlin, Freeman, Holcomb, Judson, Kincaid, Kuhn, O'Neil, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor, Van Eaton, Warman—15.

Noes—Messrs. Alexander, Clark, Dillon, Karr, Rees, Mr. Speaker—6.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

Report of committee on Corporations

MR. SPEAKER:

Your committee on Corporations to whom was referred

H. B. 89.—An act to incorporate the City of Spokan Falls.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back with the following amendment

Amend line 9 in Sec. 1 after "The north half of section 19" by inserting "The west half of" before the "Northwest quarter of section 20" so as to read "The west half of the northwest quarter of section 20. Amend in lines 1 and 2 in section 23, article 6, after fines and erasure of taxes, as follows: "including two-thirds of all county licenses for sale of malt and spirituous liquors assessed or collected within the corporate limits of said city of Spokan Falls," so as to read: "Section 23. All moneys received for licenses and fines and including two-thirds of all county licenses for sale of malt and spirituous liquors assessed or collected within the corporate limits of said city of Spokan Falls, shall be paid into the city treasury and constitute its general fund. Provided that this shall not include money collected for road and school purposes.

And recommend that the bill so amended do pass.

O. KINCAID, *Chairman.*

On motion the amendments were adopted.

Bill read the third time as amended and went to vote with the following result:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Clark, Dillon, Freeman, Karr, Kincaid, Kuhn, O'Neil, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor, Van Eaton, Warman, Mr. Speaker—17.

Noes—Mr. Holcomb—1.

Absent—Messrs. Catlin, Judson, Rees—3.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

Message from the Council.

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
Nov. 8, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER—

I am instructed by the Council to inform the House that the Council has passed

C. B. 89.—An act to amend an act to establish District Courts in the first and second judicial districts.

And the same is herewith transmitted for your action.

R. G. O'BRIEN, *Chief Clerk.*

Mr. Smith of Whitman, gave the following notice

MR. SPEAKER—

I hereby give notice to the House that I will in five days introduce a bill similar in purport to

C. B. 76.—In relation to gambling.

Report of committee on Memorials and Federal Relations

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Memorials and Federal Relations to whom was referred

H. M. 12.—For the relief of Allen L. Porter.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back recommend that it do pass.

W. W. HOLCOMB, *Chairman.*

The memorial was read third time and went to vote with the following result:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Catlin, Clark, Dillon, Freeman, Judson, Karr, Kincaid, O'Neil, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Warman—12.

Noes—Messrs. Kuhn, Rees, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor, Van Eaton and Speaker—7.

Absent—Messrs. Allen, Holcomb—2.

The memorial passed.

BILLS AND OTHER BUSINESS FROM THE COUNCIL.

H. B. 73.—An act for the relief of clerks and other employees of the present Legislative Assembly.

Returned from the Council amended.

Mr. Comegys, moved that the House do not concur in the amendment. Motion carried.

Mr. Kuhn moved that a committee of conference be appointed. Motion carried.

Messrs. Van Eaton and Smith of Whitman were appointed such committee on part of the House.

C. J. R. 21.—Relative to printing the new Code.

Read first time.

Read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

On motion made the special order for 2 P. M. to-morrow.

C. B. 72.—An act for the benefit of Territorial convicts.

Read first time.

Read second time by title under suspension of the rules

On motion referred to the Committee on Penitentiary Affairs.

C. B. 89.—An act to amend an act entitled an act to establish District courts in the first and second judicial districts.

Read first time.

Read the second time by title under suspension of the rules.

And on motion referred to the committee on Counties.

C. B. 99.—An act for the better preservation of game and fish in Walla Walla county.

Read first time.

Read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

On motion of Mr. Smith, of Whitman

The rules were further suspended, and the bill read the third time by title then went to vote with the following result:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Catlin, Dillon, Freeman, Holcomb, Judson, Karr, Kincaid, Kuhn, O'Neil, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor, Van Eaton, Warman and Mr. Speaker—19.

Noes—Mr. Clark—1.

Absent—Mr. Allen—1.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

C. B. 100.—An act to amend an act entitled an act to declare certain persons habitual drunkards and to protect them and others in person and property, approved Nov. 14, 1879.

Read first time.

Read second time by title under suspension of rules.

And on motion referred to the committee on Education

C. B. 105.—An act for the relief of C. Todd.

Read first time.

And read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

Referred to the committee on Ways, Means and Claims.

C. B. 106.—An act for the relief of Theodore Davie.

Read first time.

Read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

And on motion was referred to the committee on Ways, Means and Claims.

The Speaker gave notice that he was about to sign

C. B. 16.—An act for the relief of the Oregon school for deaf mutes

C. B. 88.—An act to authorize the county of Whatcom to to reimburse G. W. L. Allen, the ex-sheriff of that county, in the sum of $275.

On motion the House adjourned.

GEORGE COMEGYS,
Speaker of the House.

E. R. BURK,
Chief Clerk.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Wednesday, Nov. 9, 1881.

House called to order by the Speaker.

All members present at roll call but Messrs. Cornwall, Preston—Absent on leave.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

Journal of yesterday read and approved.

Mr. Kuhn gave the following notice:

I give notice that after five days I will introduce a bill in relation to a board of pilots and for pilot regulations on the Straits of San Juan de Fuca, Puget Sound and the waters appertaining thereto.

PROPOSITIONS AND MOTIONS.

Mr. Kuhn introduced,

H. B. 95.—An act providing for the protection of deer in Mason county.

Read first time, also second time by title under suspension of the rules.

And on motion referred to the committee on Military Affairs

Mr. Steen introduced

H. B. 96.—An act for the relief of Columbia county.

Read first time. Read second time by title under suspension of the rules,

And on motion referred to the committee on Ways, Means and Claims.

Message from the Council.

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
November 9, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER—

I am instructed by the Council to inform the House that the Council has refused to pass

H. B. 1.—An act to establish Pilots and Pilot regulations for San Juan de Fuca straits, Puget Sound, and all American waters pertaining thereto, also

H. B. 63.—An act providing that insurance agents shall pay license. R. G. O'BRIEN, *Chief Clerk.*

On motion of Mr. Judson, the House took up

H. B. 68.—An act to provide for the assessing and collecting of County and Territorial revenue.

On motion of Mr. Kuhn the House went into committee of the whole on the bill

Mr. Kuhn called to the chair.

The committee arose reported progress, and asked the privilege of sitting again.

On motion permission to sit again was granted.

Mr. Holcomb asked for a few days leave of absence.

On motion the request was granted.

The House adjourned until 2 P. M.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

House called to order by the Speaker.

All the members present at roll call but Messrs. Cornwall and Preston.

C. J. R. 21.—Relative to printing new Code.

Having been made the special order for this hour, taken from the table.

The bill was read third time and went to vote with the following result:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Clark, Dillon, Freeman, Holcomb, Judson, Karr, Kincaid, O'Neil, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor, Van Eaton, Warman and Mr. Speaker—21.

Noes—Mr. Kuhn, 1.

Resolution passed.

The Speaker appointed Messrs. Smith of Whitman and Smith of King joint committee on part of the House on the resolution.

Message from the Council:

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
Nov. 9, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER—

I am instructed by the Council to inform the House that the Council has concurred in the House amendments to

C. B. 46.—An act to provide for the regulation of all practice of medicine and for the registration of all practitioners of medicine and surgery.

And have adopted the report of joint committee of conference on

C. B. 62.—An act to legalize county roads.

Herewith transmitted for your action,

R. G. O'BRIEN, *Chief Clerk.*

BILLS, REPORTS AND OTHERS BUSINESS LYING ON THE TABLE.

Report of committee on Counties

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Counties to whom was referred

C. B. 89.—An act to amend an act to establish District Courts in the first and second judicial districts.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back with the recommendation that it do pass.

J. T. SMITH, *Chairman.*

The bill was read the third time and went to vote with the following result:

Ayes.—Messrs. Allen, Catlin, Clark, Freeman, Judson, Karr, Kincaid, Kuhn, O'Neil, Raymond, Rees, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor, Van Eaton, Warman and Mr. Speaker—17.

Noes—Messrs. Alexander, Dillon, Holcomb, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat—5.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

The Clerk was instructed to report the bill to the Council now.

On motion of Mr. Holcomb,

The House took up

C. B. 60.—An act to attach the County of Yakima to the Second Judicial District.

The bill was read third time and went to vote with the following result:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Catlin, Clark, Freeman, Judson, Karr, Kincaid, O'Neil, Rees, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor, Warman and Mr. Speaker—14.

Noes—Messrs. Allen, Dillon, Holcomb, Kuhn, Raymond, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Van Eaton—8.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

Mr. Judson moved to reconsider the vote by which the above bill was passed; motion carried, and vote reconsidered.

Mr. Holcomb moved to amend by striking out all after the word "force" in section 3 and inserting "from and after its passage and approval by the Governor.

Amendment adopted.

The bill as amended was read third time and went to vote with the following result:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Clark, Dillon, Freeman, Judson, Kincaid, O'Neil, Raymond, Rees, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor, Warman and Mr. Speaker—16.

Noes—Messrs. Holcomb, Karr, Kuhn, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat and Van Eaton—6.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

The Clerk was instructed to report the bill to the Council now.

Mr. Smith of Whitman introduced the following preamble and resolutions.

WHEREAS: W. H. Robert's special correspondent for the *Oregonian*, has kindly furnished each member of this House with a tabulated statement of the personnel of the present Legislative Assembly; therefore,

Resolved, That this House hereby extend a vote of thanks to Mr. Roberts for his kindness.

Adopted unanimously.

Report of committee on Roads and Highways.

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Roads and Highways to whom was referred

H. B. 94.—An act appropriating money for a wagon road over the Cascade mountains.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back with recommendation that it pass

R. P. STEEN, *Chairman*.

Mr. Rees in the chair.

Mr. Judson moved to amend by stricking out "four hundred" and inserting "two thousand."

Amendment lost.

Read third time and went to vote with the followin

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Holcomb, Kincaid, Kuhn, O'Neil, Raymond, Smith of King, Taylor, Warman —11.

Noes—Messrs. Clark, Dillon, Freeman, Judson, Karr, Rees, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Van Eaton and Mr. Speaker—11.

House refused to pass the bill.

Report of Special committee

MR. SPEAKER—

Your Special committee to whom was referred

H. B. 86.—An act to amend the charter of the city of Goldendale.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back with a substitute.

W. D. SMITH, *Chairman.*

On motion of Mr. Holcomb,

The substitute was adopted, and

H. B. 97.—An act to amend an act entitled an act to incorporate the city of Goldendale, approved Nov. 14th, 1879.

Read first time. Read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

Mr. Holcomb offered an amendment which was not adopted

On motion the rules were further suspended and the bill was read third time by title and placed on its final passage with the following result:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Clark, Freeman, Judson, Karr, Kincaid, Kuhn, O'Neil, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor, Van Eaton, Warman and Speaker—20.

Noes—Messrs. Dillon and Holcomb—2.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

On motion the House adjourned.

GEORGE COMEGYS,
Speaker of the House.

E. R. BURK,
Chief Clerk.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Thursday, Nov. 10, 1881.

House called to order by the Speaker.

All the members were present at roll call but Messrs. Cornwall and Preston—absent on leave.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

Journal of yesterday read and approved.

PETITIONS, MEMORIALS AND REMONSTRANCES.

Mr. Karr introduced,

H. M. 14.—Asking for an appropriation of $10,000 to remove obstructions from the Chehalis river.

Read first time,

Read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

On motion of Mr. Karr,

The rules were further suspended and the memorial read the third time and placed upon its final passage with the following result:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Clark, Dillon, Freeman, Holcomb, Judson, Karr, Kincaid, Kuhn, O'Neil, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor, Van Eaton, Raymond, Warman and Mr. Speaker—22.

The memorial passed.

PROPOSITIONS AND MOTIONS.

Mr. Kuhn introduced.

H. B. 98.—An act for the relief of San Juan county.

Read the first time also the second time by title under suspension of the rules.

And on motion referred to the committee on Ways, Means and Claims.

Mr. Kincaid asked the House to excuse him serving longer on the committee on Ways, Means and Claims on account of being unwell. On motion of Mr. Kuhn he was excused.

The joint committee on Judiciary to whom was referred

C. B. 75.—An act to establish District Courts and fixing the terms thereof in the First Judicial District.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back and recommend that it do pass.

ELWOOD EVANS, *Chairman.*

On motion the bill was amended by striking out after the word "third" in section 5, line 12, the words "days in" and inserting "Monday of." The bill as amended was read the third time and went to vote with the following result:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Clark, Dillon, Freeman, Holcomb, Judson, Karr, Kincaid, Kuhn, O'Neil, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Whitman, Smith of Klickitat, Steen, Taylor, Van Eaton, Warman, Mr. Speaker—22.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

The Clerk was instructed to report the bill to Council now.

Report of joint committee of conference on disagreement between houses on

C. B. 62.—An act to Legalize County roads.

Your joint committee on conference on disagreement between the two houses on the amendment to section 3, made by the House of Representatives to C. B. No. 62.—An act to legalize county road,—have had the same under consideration and report the same back with the following basis of adjustment: Amend Sec. 3 to read as follows:

[The amendment was inserted in the bill before reporting.—Clerk.]

ELWOOD EVANS, L. P. SHARPSTEIN, } Council.
J. A. KUHN, S. JUDSON, } House.

On motion the report was adopted.

Report of committee on Corporations.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your committee on Corporations to whom was referred

H. B. 55.—An act to incorporate the city of Port Townsend.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back with the recommendation that it pass.

O. KINCAID, *Chairman.*

The bill was read third time by title

And on motion referred to the Engrossing committee

Report of committee on Counties,

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Counties to whom was referred.

H. B. 92.—An act to amend an act entitled an act to provide for the inspection and measurement of logs and the formation of lumber districts, approved Nov. 11, 1879.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back and beg leave to recommend the following amendment.

Sec. 15 line 3 after the word "rafted" insert "ready for towing."

T. J. SMITH, *Chairman.*

On motion the amendment was adopted.

The bill as amended was read the third time and went to vote with the following result:

Ayes—Messrs. Allen, Clark, Dillon, Freeman, Judson, Karr, Kincaid, Kuhn, O'Neil, Rees, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor, Van Eaton, Warman—16.

Noes—Messrs. Alexander, Catlin, Raymond, Smith of King, Mr. Speaker—5.

Absent—Mr. Holcomb.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

The Clerk was instructed to report the bill to the Council at once.

Message from the Council:

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
Nov. 9, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER—

I am instructed by the Council to inform the House that the President has signed

H. B. 54.—An act to amend an act entitled an act to encourage the cultivation of oysters, approved Nov. 14,

H. M. 11.—Relative to increased mail service on route No. 43,108, from Seattle to Bellingham Bay.

H. B. 14.—An act to corporate the City of Dayton,

And appointed Messrs. Miller, Hoover and Long as committee on Conference on

H. B. 73.—An act for the relief of clerks and other employees of the present Legislative Assembly.

And Mr. Miller as committee on Conference on

C. J. R. 21.—Relative to printing New Code.

The Council has passed

C. B. 105.—An act to provide for the transportation of insane persons to the asylum and provide the compensation thereof.

C. B. 110.—An act relating to executing and recording of instruments.

R. G. O'BRIEN, *Chief Clerk.*

Message from the Council.

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
Nov. 10, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER—

I am instructed by the Council to inform the House that the Council has adopted the report of the committee of Conference on substitute for

C. B. 19.—An act to define the rights of married person.

And have passed, herewith transmitted,

C. B. 112.—An act to amend and act entitled an act in relation to prosecuting attorneys defining their duties and fixing their compensation, approved Oct. 31, 1877.

C. B. 111.—An act to provide for the purchase of suitable desks and furniture for the office of Territorial Auditor,

C. B. 114.—An act to repeal an act entitled an act to establish pilots and pilot regulations for San Juan de Fuca straits, Puget Sound, and all American waters pertaining thereto, approved, Jan. 31, 1868.

And the same is herewith transmitted for your action.

R. G. O'BRIEN, *Chief Clerk.*

Report of committee on Education—

MR. SPEAKER—

Your Committee on Education to whom was referred

C. B. 100.—An act to amend an act entitled An act to declare certain persons habitual drunkards and to protect them and others in person and property, approved Nov. 14, 1879.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back and recommend that it do pass.

J. A. KARR, *Chairman.*

On motion of Mr. Alexander,

Referred to the committee on Judiciary.

On motion of Mr. Smith of King,

The House went into committee of the whole on

H. B. 68.—An act to provide for the assessing and collecting of County and Territorial revenue.

Mr. Smith of King in the Chair.

After being in session sometime the committee arose, reported progress and asked leave to sit again which was granted.

On motion the House took recess until 2 P. M.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

House called to order by the Speaker.

All the members present at roll call but Messrs. Cornwall, and Preston—absent on leave and Messrs. and Warman.

The Speaker appointed Mr. Rees on the Ways, Means and Claims committee in place of Mr. Kincaid excused from serving.

BILLS, REPORTS, AND OTHER BUSINESS LYING ON THE TABLE.

Report of committee on Conference

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee to confer with a like committee of the Council on

H. B. 73.—An act for the relief of clerks and other employees of the present Legislative Assembly

Have had the same under consideration and unanimously recommend that the Council recede from its amendment

S. M. HOVEY, *Chairman Council Committee.*
T. J. SMITH, *Chairman House Committee.*

On motion the report was adopted.

Report of committee on Judiciary

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Judiciary to whom was referred

C. B. 81.—An act relating to liens,

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back with an amendment to be inserted in lieu of section 1040 and recommend its adoption and, when so amended, that the bill do pass. J. A. KUHN, *Chairman.*

On motion of Mr. Kuhn,

The report was adopted.

The bill was read third time by title and went to vote with the following result:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Clark, Dillon, Freeman, Holcomb, Judson, Karr, Kuhn, O'Neil, Raymond, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor, Van Eaton and Mr. Speaker—18.

Noes—Messrs. Catlin, Kincaid—2.

Absent—Messrs. Rees, Warman—2.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

The Clerk was instructed to report the bill to Council now.

Report of committee on Ways, Means and Claims

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Ways, Means and Claims to whom was referred

C. B. 106.—An act for the relief of Theodore Davie.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back with recommendation that it do pass.

O. KINCADE, *Chairman.*

Read third time and went to vote with the following result:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Clark, Dillon, Freeman, Judson, Karr, Kincaid, Kuhn, O'Neil, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor, Van Eaton, Warman and Mr. Speaker—21.

Noes—Mr. Holcomb—1.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

The Clerk was instructed to report the bill to the Council

Report of committee on Ways, Means and Claims

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Ways, Means and Claims to whom was referred

C. B. 105.—An act for the relief of C. Todd.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back with recommendation that it pass

O. KINCAID, *Chariman.*

The bill was read the third time and went to vote with the following result:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Clark, Dillon, Freeman, Judson, Karr, Kincaid, Kuhn, O'Neil, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor, Van Eaton, Warman and Mr. Speaker—21.

Noes—Mr. Holcomb—1.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

The Clerk was instructed to report the bill to the Council at once.

Mr. Dillon moved to reconsider the vote by which the House refused to pass

H. B. 94.—An act appropriating money for a wagon road over the Cascade monntains.

Motion carried, and vote reconsidered:

On motion of Mr. Warman,

The bill was made the special order for the 17th inst.

Report of Special committee

MR. SPEAKER—

Your Special committee to whom was referred

H. B. 90.—An act for the relief of T. J. Mewhinney, assessor of Columbia county.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back and recommend that it do not pass.

R. P. STEEN,
W. L. FREEMAN,
WM. CLARK,
Members from Columbia.

On motion the report was adopted, the House thereby refusing to pass the bill.

Report of Special committee

MR. SPEAKER—

Your Special committee to whom was referred

H. B. 71.—An act to declare Touchet river navigable,

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back with recommendation they it do not pass.

W. L. FREEMAN,
R. P. STEEN,
R. R. REES,
WM. CLARK,
Committee.

On motion the report was adopted, the House thereby refusing to pass the bill.

Message from the Council:

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
Nov. 10, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER—

I am instructed by the Council to inform the House that the President has signed

C. B. 89.—An act to amend an act entitled an act to establish District courts in the first and second judicial districts.

Reported as correctly enrolled and the same is herewith transmitted for your signature.

And that the Council has passed,

C. B. 90.—An act to fix the number of members of the Legislative Assembly and apportion the same.

And the same is transmitted herewith for your action.

R. G. O'BRIEN, *Chief Clerk.*

Report of Special committee

MR. SPEAKER—

Your Special committee to whom was referred

H. B 72.—An act to declare Tukanon river navigable,

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back and recommend it do not pass.

W. L. FREEMAN,
R. P. STEEN,
WM. CLARK,
Committee.

On motion the report was adopted the House refused to pass the bill.

BILLS AND OTHER BUSINESS FROM THE COUNCIL.

C. B. 110.—An act relating to executing and recording of instruments.

Read first time.

Read second time by title under suspension of the rules

The bill was referred to the committee on Judiciary with instructions to print.

C. B. 90.—An act to fix the number of members of the Legislative Assembly and apportion the same.

Read first time. Read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

And on motion referred to the committee on Judiciary

C. B. 107.—An act to provide for the transportation of insane persons to the asylum and provide the compensation thereof.

Read first time.

Read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

And motion referred to the committee on Way, Means and Claims.

C. B. 111.—An act to provide for the purchase of suitable desks and furniture for the office of Territorial Auditor,

Read first time.

Read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

And on motion was referred to the committee on Ways, Means and Claims.

C. B. 112.—An act to amend and act entitled an act in relation to prosecuting attorneys defining their duties and fixing their compensation, approved Oct. 31, 1877.

Read first time. Read second time, by title under suspension of the rules.

On motion the bill was indefinitely postponed.

C. B. 114.—An act to repeal an act entitled an act to establish pilots and pilot regulations for San Juan de Fuca straits, Puget Sound, and all American waters pertaining thereto, approved, Jan. 30, 1868.

Read first time. There being no objections the bill was read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

On motion laid on the table

The committee of Conference on substitute.

C. B. 19.—An act defining the rights of married persons.

Presented a report asking that the House recede from its amendment.

On motion the report was adopted, and the Clerk instructed to ask the Council to return the bill.

Mr. Karr moved that when the House adjourn it be to meet again at 7 P. M. Motion carried.

Message from the Governor:

EXECUTIVE CHAMBER, Nov. 10, 1881.

I have this day signed the following House bills.

H. B. 54.—An act to amend an act entitled An act to encourage the cultivation of oysters.

H. B. 14.—An act to incorporate the city of Dayton,

H. B. 82.—An act to repeal an act entitled an act prohibiting the owners of hogs and sheep from permitting the same to run at large in Pacific county.

H. B. 69.—An act for the relief of Allen Weir.

H. B. 58.—An act to repeal an act entitled An act in relation to Notaries public, approved Nov. 13, 1879.

H. J. R. 17.—Relative to postage.

H. M. 8.—Praying for an appropriation for clearing Cathlapoodle river.

H. M. 2.—Relative to increased mail service to Alaska.

H. B. 52.—An act to amend an act entitled an act defining the jurisdiction and practice in the Probate courts of Washington Territory, approved Nov. 11, 1873.

H. M. 10.—Asking for aid in clearing rivers.

WM. A. NEWELL.
Governor.

Mr. Dillon was granted indefinite leave of absence on account of sickness in his family.

On motion of Mr. Kuhn the House went into committee of the whole on

H. B. 68.—An act to provide for the assessing and collecting of County and Territorial revenue.

Mr. Kuhn in the chair,

After being in session some time the committee arose, reported progress, and asked that they might sit again which was granted.

The following telegram received by the Secretary was read:

WASHINGTON, D. C.,
Nov. 9, 1881.

To N. H. OWINGS, *Territorial Secretary, Olympia, W. T.:*

The appropriation for postage as shown by the language of the statutes and the estimates submitted to Congress is only for the Secretary's office.

J. TARBELL,
Acting Comptroller.

On motion the House took a recess until 7 P. M.

EVENING SESSION.

House called to order by the Speaker.

At roll call Messrs. Alexander, Clark, Halcomb, Kincaid, Smith of King, Smith of Whitman and Steen were absent.

House went into committee on the whole on

H. B. 68.—An act to provide for the assessing and collecting of county and territorial revenue.

Mr. Rees in the chair.

The committee after sitting an hour arose reported progress and asked that they might sit again.

The request was granted.

Mr. Kuhn called out.

C. M. 4.—In relation to Banks and Banking institutions.

After considerable discussion the memorial was laid on the table again.

Message from the Council.

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
Nov. 10, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER—

I am instructed by the Council to inform the House that the Council has passed.

H. M. 12.—For the relief of Allen L. Porter.

H. M. 13.—In relation to the harbor at Neah Bay.

H. M. 14.—Asking for an appropriation of $10,000 to remove obstructions from the Chehalis river.

H. B. 91.—An act to amend an act entitled an act in relation to the collection of licenses in the Cities of Tacoma and Steilacoom.

H. B. 101.—An act to authorize the Governor of W. T. to purchase an improved shackle for the Territorial Penitentiary

And the same is herewith transmitted

R. G. O'BRIEN, *Chief Clerk.*

And the Council has passed.

C. B. 53.—An act to provide for the election of county Commissioners and defining their duties.

C. B. 54.—An act in relation to county Auditors.

And that the President has signed

C. B. 46.—An act to provide for the regulation of the practice of medicine and for the registration of all practitioners of medicine and surgery.

C. B. 85.—An act to amend an act entitled an act permitting foreign corporations to transact business and acquire, hold and dispose of real estate.

C. B. 96.—An act to appropriate money for Territorial Library purposes.

C. B. 99.—An act for the better preservation of game and fish in the County of Walla Walla.

Herewith transmitted for your signature

R. G. O'BRIEN, *Chief Clerk.*

Speaker gave notice that he was about to sign the above bills

On motion of Mr. Kuhn,

The House adjourned until 10 A. M. on Tuesday next.

GEORGE COMEGYS,
Speaker of the House.

E. R. BURK,
Chief Clerk.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Tuesday, Nov. 15, 1881.

House called to order by the Speaker.

All the members were present at roll call but Messrs. Alexander, Dillon and Preston—absent on leave—Raymond, Taylor and Van Eaton.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

On motion of Mr. Kuhn,

Mr. Alexander was granted indefinite leave of absence on account of sickness in his family.

Journal of last Thursday read and approved.

PETITIONS, MEMORIALS AND REMONSTRANCES.

Mr. Holcomb introduced,

H. M. 15.—In Relation to fur-animals of Alaska.

Read first time in part.

Read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

And on motion referred to the committee on Memorials and Federal relations.

PROPOSITIONS AND MOTION.

Committee of Counties introduced,

H. B. 99.—An act in relation to roads, bridges, ferries and travel on public highways.

Read first time and also second time by title, under suspension of the rules.

And on motion referred to the committee on Roads and Highways with instructions to print.

Mr. Karr introduced,

H. B. 101.—An act to relocate and improve a territorial road from Cosmopolis in Chehalis county up the Chehalis river via the block house to the farm of Shotwell on Black river in Thurston county.

Read first time,

Read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

And on motion referred to the committee on Roads and Highways.

Mr. Karr introduced,

H. B. 102.—An act to provide a system of common schools.

Read first time in part.

Read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

The bill was referred to the Committee on Education.

On motion of Mr. Smith of Whitman

The House receded from its amendments to Substitute

C. B. 19.—An act to define the rights of married persons.

BILLS, REPORTS AND OTHER BUSINESS LYING ON THE TABLE.

Report of Committee on Judiciary,

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Judiciary to whom was referred

C. B. 91.—An act to reimburse the judges of the District Courts for expenses in holding terms at which no U. S. Business is transacted.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back with the recommendation that it pass.

J. A. KUHN, *Chairman.*

The bill was read third time and went to vote with the following result:

Ayes—Messrs. Catlin, Cornwall, Freeman, Holcomb, Karr, Kincaid, Kuhn, O'Neil, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Steen, Warman and Mr. Speaker—14.

Noes—Messrs. Allen, Clark and Smith of Whitman—3.

Absent—Messrs. Judson, Raymond, Taylor, Van Eaton—4.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

Report of committee on Judiciary.

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Judiciary to whom was referred

C. B. 112.—To amend an act entitled an act in relation to Prosecuting Attorneys and defining their duties and fixing their compensation, approved Oct. 31st, 1877.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back and beg leave to recommend the following amendment.

This act to take effect and be in force from and after the second Monday of January 1883.

J. A. KUHN, *Ch'n Committee.*

Ayes and Noes being called for resulted as follows:

Ayes—Messrs. Allen, Catlin, Clark, Cornwall, Freeman, Holcomb, Kuhn, O'Neil, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Steen, Warman and Mr. Speaker—14.

Noes—Messrs. Judson, Karr, Kincaid, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman—5.

Absent—Messrs. Taylor, Van Eaton—2.

The report was adopted.

On motion of Mr. Smith, of Klickitat,

The bill was referred to the committee on Counties.

On motion of Mr. Steen,

The committee was instructed to report at 10 A. M. to-morrow.

BILLS AND OTHER BUSINESS FROM THE COUNCIL.

C. B. 53.—An act to provide for the election of County Commissioners and defining their duties

Read first time in part and also second time by title under suspension of the rules.

Mr. Kuhn moved that the House resolve itself into committee of the whole at 2:30 P. M. to consider bill.

Motion carried.

C. B. 54.—An act in relation to County Auditors.

Read first time in part.

Read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

On motion of Mr. Kuhn,

The bill was laid on the table subject to order of the House.

C. B. 101.—An act to authorize the Governor of W. T. to purchase an improved shackle for the Territorial Penitentiary.

Read first time.

Read second time by title, under suspension of the rules.

On motion referred to the Committee on Penitentiary Affairs.

On motion of Mr. Kuhn the ho se wen
of the whole on

H. B. 68.—An act to provide for the asse
ing of county and territorial revenue.

Mr. Kuhn called to the chair.

At 12 o'clock the committee arose report
asked the privilege of sitting again, which was g

The House adjourned until 2 P. M.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

House called to order by the Speaker.

At roll call all members answered to their name
Messrs. Alexander, Dillon, and Preston, absent o le
Van Eaton.

The House resolved itself into committee of the wh e to
consider

C. B. 53.—An act to provide for the election of
Commissioners and defining their duties

Mr. Judson in the chair.

The committee arose and through their chairman as
that the bill be indefinitely postponed.

On motion the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Kuhn moved that the committee on Counties examine
the law relative to County Commissioners and report by b
otherwise.

Motion carried.

H. B. 53.—An act to regulate fees and costs.

Was taken from the table.

A motion was made to indefinitely postpone the bill.

The Ayes and Noes being called for resu ed s follows:

Ayes.—Messrs. Allen, Clark, Cornwall, n ih
O'Neil, Smith of Klickitat, Steen, Taylor, a: ar
Speaker—11.

Noes—Messrs. Alexander, Catlin, Freem
Judson, Karr, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith
man—9.

Absent—Mr. Van Eaton—1.

Motion to indefinitely postpone, carried.

C. B. 54.—An act in relation to County Auditors.

And on motion referred to the committee on Counties.

On motion

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H. B. 68.—An the asses n
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Mr. Smith of King in the chai

After a short recess the com arose
mission to sit again.

On motion was referred to th

Message from the Council:

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
Nov. 15, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER—

I am instructed by the Council to inform the House that the President has signed substitute for

C. B. 62.—An act to Legalize County roads.

C. J. R. 21.—Relative to printing new Code.

C. B. 60.—An act to attach the County of Yakima to the Second Judicial District.

Herewith transmit the same for your signature.

And have passed,

C. B. 115.—An act for the relief of Lucinda M. Ballard.

C. B. 116.—An act relative to crimes and punishment and proceedings in criminal cases.

C. B. 78.—An act for the appointment of an inspector of Coal mines and to provide how they shall be ventilated.

And the same are herewith transmitted, for your action.

R. G. O'BRIEN, *Chief Clerk.*

The Speaker gave notice he was about to sign the above bills

BILLS, REPORTS AND OTHER BUSINESS FROM THE COUNCIL.

C. B. 78.—An act for the appointment of inspectors of coal mines and to provide how they shall be ventilated.

Read first time.

Read second time by title under suspension of rules.

And on motion referred to committee on Mines and Mining

C. B. 115.—An act for the relief of Lucinda M. Ballard.

Read first time.

And read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

Referred to the committee on Ways, Means and Claims.

C. B. 116.—An act relative to crimes and punishment and proceedings in criminal cases.

Read first time.

Read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

On motion referred to the committee on Judiciary.

On motion the House adjourned.

GEORGE COMEGYS,
Speaker of the House.

E. R. BURK,
Chief Clerk.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Wednesday, Nov. 16, 1881.

House called to order by the Speaker.

All members present at roll call

Prayer by the Chaplain.

Journal of yesterday read and approved.

Mr. Smith of Whitman from the committee on Counties asked that they be allowed until 10 A. M. to-morrow in which to report on

C. B. 112.—
Prosecuting Attorney
compensation; appro
On motion o
Further time was granted.

PETITION, MEMORIALS AND REMONSTRANCES.

Mr. Smith of Whitman introduced,

H. M. 16.—Relative to railroad across the Cascade mountains.

Read first time.

Read the second time by title under suspension of the rules.

The rules were further suspended and the memorial read the third time and placed upon its final passage with the following result:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Cornwall, Dillon, Freeman, Holcomb, Judson, Karr, Kincaid, Kuhn, O'Neil, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor, Van Eaton, Warman, Preston and Mr. Speaker—23.

Absent—Mr. Clark, 1.

The memorial passed unanimously.

Mr. Smith of Klickitat introduced,

H. M. 17.—Praying for further appropriations for the Cascade locks.

Read first time.

Read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

On motion of Mr Rees.

The rules were further suspended and the memorial was read third time by title and placed on its final passage with the following result:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Clark, Cornwall, Dillon, Freeman, Holcomb, Karr, Kincaid, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor, Van Eaton, Warman and Speaker—22.

Absent—Messrs. Judson, Kuhn—2.

The memorial passed.

Mr. Catlin presented a petition from citizens of Cowlitz county praying for the enactment of a local option law.

Referred to the committee on Education.

PROPOSITIONS AND MOTIONS.

Mr. Smith of Whitman introduced,

H. B. 103.—An act to extend the right of suffrage on certain taxpayers.

Read the first time also the second time by title under suspension of the rules.

Mr. Rees moved to amend by striking out "wassons" in Sec. 1 and inserting "citizens" in its place.

Amendment adopted.

Mr. Kincaid moved to indefinitely postpone the bill.

The Ayes and Noes being called for resulted as follows:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Catlin, Cornwall, Dillon, Freeman, Judson, Karr, Kincaid, O'Neil, Smith of Klickitat, Steen, Van Eaton—12.

Noes—Messrs. Allen, Clark, Holcomb, Kuhn, Preston, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Whitman, Taylor, Warman and Speaker—12.

Motion to indefinitely postpone was lost.

Mr. Kuhn moved to amend by adding after the word "citizens" in Sec. 1. the words "over 21 years of age,"

Amendment adopted.

Mr. Smith of King called for the previous question.

The question then being "shall the bill pass" went to vote with the following result:

Ayes—Messrs. Allen, Clark, Holcomb, Kuhn, Preston, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor, Warman, Mr. Speaker—13.

Noes—Messrs. Alexander, Catlin, Cornwall, Dillon Freeman, Judson, Karr, Kincaid, O'Neil, Smith of Klickitat, Van Eaton—11.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Clark,

The Clerk was instructed to report the bill to the Council

Mr. Holcomb moved to reconsider the vote by which the bill was passed. Motion lost.

Mr. Warman introduced,

H. B. 104.—An act to amend an act entitled An act regulating salmon fisheries on the Columbia river and its tributaries approved Nov. 14, 1879.

Read first time, also second time by title under suspension of the rules.

And on motion was referred to committee on Commerce and Fisheries.

On motion of Mr. Kincaid,

The House went into committee of the whole on

H. B. 68.—An act to provide for the assessing and collecting of County and Territorial revenue.

Mr. Kuhn in the chair.

After being in session a few minutes, the committee arose and reported progress, and asked further time, which was granted.

Mr. Smith of Klickitat introduced,

H. B. 105.—An act to amend an act entitled an act for the protection of the Joshua Brown school fund.

Read first time. Read second time by title under suspension of the rules,

On motion referred to the committee on Education.

BILLS, REPORTS AND OTHERS BUSINESS LYING ON THE TABLE.

Report of committee on Enrolled bills

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Enrolled bills to whom was referred

H. B. 91.—An act to amend an act entitled an act in relation to the collection of licenses in the Cities of Tacoma and Steilacoom.

H. M. 12.—For the relief of Allen L. Porter.

H. M. 14.—Asking for an appropriation of $10,000 to remove obstructions from the Chehalis river.

Have compared the same with the original bills and find them correctly enrolled.

R. R. REES, *Chairman.*

And the Speaker gave notice that he was about to sign the above bill and memorials.

Report of committee on Judiciary

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Judiciary to whom was referred

C. B. 116.—The penal code.

Have had the same under consideration and a majority of your committee have instructed me to report back and recommend its passage.

J. A. KUHN, *Chairman.*

Mr. Kuhn moved to strike out sections 1266 to 1270 inclusive.

The Ayes and Noes being called for resulted as follows:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Catlin, Kuhn—3.

Noes—Messrs. Allen, Clark, Cornwall, Dillon, Judson, Karr, Kincaid, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor, Van Eaton, Warman and Mr. Speaker—19.

Excused from voting—Mr. Freeman—1.

Absent—Mr. Holcomb—1.

Motion to strike out lost.

Read third time by title and went to vote with the following result:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Clark, Cornwall, Dillon, Judson, Karr, Kincaid, O'Neil, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor, Van Eaton, Warman and Mr. Speaker—21.

Noes—Mr. Holcomb, Kuhn—2.

Excused from voting Mr. Freeman—1.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

The House adjourned until 2 P. M.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

House called to order by the Speaker.

All the members present at roll call but Messrs. Preston, and Smith of Whitman.

BILLS, REPORTS AND OTHER BUSINESS LYING ON THE TABLE.

Report of committee on Counties,

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Counties to whom was referred.

H. B. 100.—An act in relation to Elk.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back and after inserting an enforcing clause, as sec. 3 we recommend that it do pass. T. J. SMITH, *Chairman.*

The report was adopted.

Bill read the third time as amended and went to vote with the following result:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Catlin, Clark, Cornwall, Dillon, Freeman, Karr, Kincaid, Kuhn, O'Neil, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Steen, Taylor, Warman, Van Eaton, Allen and Speaker—19.

No—Mr. Holcomb—1.

Absent—Messrs. Judson, Preston, Raymond, Smith of Whitman—4.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Alexander,

The House took up

C. B. 114.—An act to repeal an act entitled an act to establish pilots and pilot regulations for San Juan de Fuca straits, Puget Sound, and all American waters pertaining thereto, approved, Jan. 30, 1868.

Read third time.

Mr. Van Eaton moved to amend the last Sec. to read "from and after January 1, 1882."

Amendment was adopted.

The bill as amended went to vote as follows:

Ayes.—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Cornwall, Freeman, Holcomb, Judson, Kincaid, Kuhn, O'Neil, Smith of Klickitat, Taylor, Van Eaton, Warman, Mr. Speaker—15.

Noes—Messrs. Clark, Dillon, Karr, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Steen—7.

Absent—Messrs. Preston, Smith of Whitman—2.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Kuhn,

The Clerk was instructed to report the bill to Council now.

C. B. 116.—An act relative to crimes and punishments and proceedings in criminal cases.

On motion of Mr. Kincaid,

The House went into a committee of the whole on.

H. B. 68.—An act to provide for the assessing and collecting of county and territorial revenue

On motion of Mr. Smith of King,

After being in session fifteen minutes the committee arose; the chairman reported that they had completed their work.

On motion of Mr. Clark,

The Clerk was instructed to report to the Council

H. M. 16.—H. M. 17.—H. B. 100.—C. B. 114.

Which passed the House at the morning session.

Report of committee on Commerce and Fisheries

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Commerce and Fisheries to whom was referred

H. B. 104.—An act to amend an act entitled an act regulating salmon fisheries on the Columbia river and its tributaries approved Nov. 14, 1879.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back with the recommendation that it do pass,

THOMAS WARMAN, *Chairman.*

The bill read third time and went to vote with the following result:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Catlin, Clark, Dillon, Freeman, Cornwall, Holcomb, Karr, Kuhn, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Rees, Smith, of King, Smith of Klickitat, Steen, Taylor, Van Eaton, Warman and Mr. Speaker—20.

No—Mr. Kincaid—1.

Absent—Messrs. Allen, Judson, Smith of Whitman—3.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

Report of committee on Memorials and Federal Relations.

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Memorials and Federal Relations to whom was referred

H. M. 15.—In Relation to fur animals of Alaska.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back with the recommendation that it do pass.

W. W. HOLCOMB, *Chairman.*

The memorial was read third time and went to vote with the following result:

Ayes—Messrs. Holcomb, Kuhn, O'Neil, Raymond, Smith of King, Taylor, Van Eaton—7.

Noes—Messrs. Alexander, Catlin, Clark, Cornwall, Dillon, Freeman, Karr, Kincaid, Preston, Rees, Smith of Klickitat, Steen, Warman and Mr. Speaker—14.

Absent—Messrs. Allen, Judson, Smith of Whitman—3.

House refused to pass the memorial.

Report of committee on Roads and Highways.

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Roads and Highways to whom was referred

H. B. 101.—An act to relocate and improve a territorial road from Cosmopolis in Chehalis county up the Chehalis river via the block house to the farm of Shotwell on Black river in Thurston county.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back and recommend that it do not pass.

J. M. CORNWALL, *Chairman.*

On motion the report was adopted, and the House thereby refusing to pass the bill.

Your committee on Roads and Highways to whom was referred

H. B. 66.—An act to review and survey a Territorial road in Thurston and Chehalis counties.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back with recommendation that it not pass

J. M. CORNWALL, *Chairman.*

On motion the report was adopted the House refused to pass the bill.

Mr. Smith of King in the chair.

Message from the Council.

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
Nov. 16, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER—

I am instructed by the Council to inform the House that the Council has passed.

H. B. 41.—An act to authorize the county commissioners of Clallam county to borrow money.

Herewith returned. And that the Council has refused to adopt the report of the committee of Conference on

H. B. 73.—An act for the relief of clerks and other employees of the present Legislative Assembly.

And that the President has signed

C. B. 105.—An act for the relief of C. Todd.

C. B. 106.—An act for the relief of Theodore Davie.

Herewith transmitted for your signature, also

H. M. 12.—For the relief of Allen L. Porter.

H. M. 13.—In relation to the harbor of Neah Bay in W. T.

H. M. 14.—Asking for an appropriation of $10,000 to remove obstructions from the Chehalis river.

H. B. 91.—An act to amend an act entitled an act in relation to the collection of licenses in the cities of Tacoma and Steilacoom.

Herewith returned.

And that the Council has passed,

C. B. 119.—An act for the preservation of game and to prohibit shooting and hunting on enclosures, without permission of the owners thereof.

And the same is transmitted herewith for your action.

R. G. O'BRIEN, *Chief Clerk.*

Report of committee on Ways, Means and Claims

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Ways, Means and Claims to whom was referred

H. B. 44.—An act providing for the payment of repairs and storage on Territorial property in the custody of the quarter master general.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back with recommendation that it do pass.

W. G. PRESTON, *Chairman.*

The bill was read the third time.

Mr. Comegys moved to strike out section 2.

Motion carried.

The bill as amended then went to vote as follows:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Clark, Corwall, Dillon, Freeman, Judson, Kincaid, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Steen, Taylor, Van Eaton, Warman and Mr. Speaker—19.

Noes—Messrs. Holcomb, Kuhn, Smith of Whitman—3.

Absent—Messrs. Catlin, Karr—2.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

Message from the Council.

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
November 16, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER—

I am instructed by the Council to inform the House that the Council has passed

C. B. 121.—An act for the relief of B. S. Miller.

And the same is herewith transmitted for your action.

And that the Council has concurred on the House amendment to

C. B. 114.—An act to repeal an act entitled an act to establish pilots and pilot regulations for San Juan de Fuca straits, Puget Sound, and all American waters pertaining thereto, approved, Jan. 30, 1868.

R. G. O'BRIEN, *Chief Clerk.*

Report of committee on Ways, Means and Claims

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Ways, Means and Claims to whom was referred

C. B. 15.—An act to provide for the education of mutes.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back with the recommendation that it pass.

W. G. PRESTON, *Chairman.*

The bill was read the third time.

On motion of Mr. Comegys,

The bill was referred to the committee on Ways, Means and Claims.

Speaker resumed the chair.

The Speaker gave notice that he was about to sign

C. B. 105.—An act for the relief of C. Todd.

C. B. 106.—An act for the relief of Theodore Davie.

A motion to adjourn was lost.

Report of committee on Ways, Means and Claims.

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Ways, Means and Claims to whom was referred

C. B. 115.—An act for the relief of Lucinda M. Ballard.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back and recommend that it do pass.

W. G. Preston, *Chairman.*

Read the third time and went to vote with the following result:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Clark, Cornwall, Dillon, Freeman, Holcomb, Judson, Karr, Kincaid, Kuhn, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Steen, Taylor, Van Eaton, Warman and Mr. Speaker —23.

Absent—Mr. Smith of Whitman—1.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

And on motion the committee on Way, Means and Claims submitted the following report

MR. SPEAKER:

Your committee on Ways, Means and Claims to whom was referred

C. B. 15.—An act to provide for the education of deaf mutes

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back and recommend that it do pass.

W. G. PRESTON, *Chairman.*

And on motion referred to the committee on Education.

A motion to adjourn was lost.

Report of Special committee.

MR. SPEAKER—

Your Special committee to whom was referred

C. B. 83.—An act in relation to taking up of saw logs and other timber of value in Snake river.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back and recommend that it pass

With the following amendment: In Sec. 1, 12 line, strike out "two-fifths and insert "one half."

T. J. SMITH,
R. P. STEEN,
W. L. FREEMAN,
R. R. REES,
J. M. CORNWALL,
W. G. PRESTON,

The bill was read the third time,

And on motion referred to the Engrossing committee

BILLS AND OTHER BUSINESS FROM THE COUNCIL.

C. B. 121.—An act for the relief of B. S. Miller.

Read first time.

Read the second time by title under suspension of the rules.

On motion was referred to the committee on Ways, Means and Claims

C. B. 119.—An act for the preservation of game and to prohibit shooting and hunting on enclosures, without permission of the owners thereof.

Read first time.

Read second time by title, under suspension of the rules.

And on motion the bill was referred to the committee on Agriculture.

On motion the House adjourned.

GEORGE COMEGYS,
Speaker of the House.

E. R. BURK,
Chief Clerk.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Thursday, Nov. 17, 1881.

House called to order by the Speaker.

All the members were present at roll call but Mr. Preston.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

Journal of last yesterday read and approved.

Mr. Preston appeared during the reading of the journal.

Committee on Counties were granted further time in which to report on

C. B. 112.—To amend an act entitled an act in relation to Prosecuting Attorneys and defining their duties and fixing their compensation, approved Oct. 31st, 1877.

This being the day for considering

H. B. 94.—An act appropriating money for a wagon road over the Cascade mountains.

It was taken from the table.

Mr. Raymond, moved to amend by striking out "$4,000" and inserting "$2,000. Amendment adopted.

Mr. Judson moved to amend the annual appropriation asked for to correspond with the amendment made to the bill.

Amendment adopted.

Mr. Preston moved to further amend by siriking out "Territorial Auditor and Treasurer" and inserting the words "King county Auditor and Treasurer."

Ayes and noes being called for resulted as follows.

Ayes—Messrs. Cornwall, Freeman, Judson, Karr, O'Neil, Smith of Whitman, Van Eaton, Preston, Rees, Smith of Klickitat, Mr. Speaker—11.

Noes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Clark, Dillon, Holcomb, Kincaid, Kuhn, Raymond, Smith of King, Steen, Taylor, Warman—13.

Amendment lost.

Mr. Rees in the chair.

The bill went to vote with the following result:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Clark, Dillon, Holcomb, Kincaid, Kuhn, Raymond, Smith of King, Steen, Taylor, Warman—13.

Noes—Messrs. Cornwall, Freeman, Judson, Karr, O'Neil, Preston, Rees, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Van Eaton, Mr. Speaker—11.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

PROPOSITIONS AND MOTIONS.

Mr. Holcomb introduced,

H. B. 106.—An act to establish United States court in Vancouver.

Read first time.

On motion of Mr. Comegys,

The bill was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Preston introduced,

H. B. 107.—An act for the relief of L. P. Berry, Sergeant-at-arms.

Read first time. Read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

The bill went to vote with the following result:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Clark, Cornwall, Dillon, Freeman, Holcomb, Judson, Karr, Kincaid, Kuhn, Preston, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor, Van Eaton, Warman and Mr. Speaker—22.

Absent—Messrs. O'Neil, Smith of Klickitat—2.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

Mr. Raymond introduced,

H. B. 108.—An act to prevent bribery in elections.

Read first time, read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

And on motion referred to the committee on Privileges and Elections.

Mr. Warman introduced,

H. B. 109.—An act to amend an act entitled an act prohibiting hogs from running at large in the counties of Columbia, Whitman, Stevens, Walla Walla, Yakima and Lewis.

Read first time.

Read second time by title under suspension of the rules

And on motion the bill was referred to the Committee on Agriculture

Report of committee on Enrolled bills,

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Enrolled bills to whom was referred

H. B. 41.—An act to authorize the county commissioners of Clallam county to borrow money.

Have compared the same with the original bill and find it correctly enrolled. R. R. REES, *Chairman.*

The Speaker gave notice of signing the above bill

On motion the House adjourned until 2 P. M.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

House called to order by the Speaker.

All the members present at roll call

Message from the Governor.

EXECUTIVE CHAMBER, Nov. 16, 1881.

To the Legislative Assembly.

I have this day signed the following:

H. M. 14.—Asking for an appropriation of $10,000 to remove obstructions from the Chehalis river.

H. B. 91.—An act to amend an act entitled an act in relation to the collection of licenses in the Cities of Tacoma and Steilacoom.

H. M. 12.—For the relief of Allen L. Porter.

H. M. 13.—In relation to the harbor of Neah Bay in W. T

WM. A. NEWELL.

Report of Committee on Military Affairs.

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Military Affairs to whom was referred

H. B. 95.—An act providing for the protection of deer in Mason county.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back with the recommendation that it do pass.

JAS. O'NEIL, *Chairman.*

On motion of Mr. Kuhn the bill was laid on the table for the present.

Report of committee on Education

MR. SPEAKER—

Your Committee on Education to whom was referred

H. B. 105.—An act to amend an act entitled an act for the protection of the Joshua Brown school fund.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back with the recommendation that it do pass,

J. A. KARR, *Chairman.*

The bill was read the third time and went to vote with the following result:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Catlin, Clark, Dillon, Freeman, Cornwall, Holcomb, Karr, Kuhn, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Rees, Smith, of King, Smith of Klickitat, Steen, Taylor, Van Eaton, Allen, Kincaid, Smith of Whitman, Warman Judson, Mr. Speaker—24.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

Report of committee on Judiciary.

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Judiciary to whom was referred

C. B. 100.—An act to amend an act entitled an act to declare certain persons habitual drunkards and to protect them and others in person and property, approved Nov. 14, 1879.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back and beg leave to recommend the following amendment.

Strike out in the bill wherever occur the words "or any court of record." Amend section 8 by striking out in the 4th line the word "three" and inserting in lieu thereof the word two.

J. A. KUHN, *Chairman.*

On motion the report was adopted.

The bill was read third time.

Mr. Kuhn moved to amend section 4 by striking out "County Auditor" and inserting Probate Judge in lieu thereof.

Amendment adopted.

The bill as amended went to vote with he following result:

Ayes—Messrs. Allen, Karr, Kincaid, Kuhn, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Taylor, Van Eaton and Mr. Speaker—14.

Noes—Messrs. Alexander, Catlin, Clark, Cornwall, Dillon, Freeman, Holcomb, Judson, Steen, Warman—10.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

The Clerk was instructed to report H. B. 105.—and H. B. 107.—to the Council, passed to-day.

House took a recess of ten minutes, after which business was resumed.

Message from the Council:

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
Nov. 17, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER—

I am instructed by the Council to inform the House that the President has signed

C. B. 19.—An act defining the rights of married persons.

C. B. 91.—An act to reimburse the judges of the District Courts for expenses in holding terms at which no U. S. Business is transacted.

C. B. 66.—An act to regulate the proceedings and practice in civil actions.

C. B. 80.—An act relating to Justices of the Peace and practice and jurisdiction.

C. B. 87.—An act defining the jurisdiction and practice in the Probate courts in Washington Territory.

Transmitted for your signature.

And that the Council has passed,

C. B. 124.—An act for the relief of certain Counties.

H. B. 26.—Substitute for

H. B. 4.—An act in regard to Probate Judges.

C. J. R. 22.—Relating to school law.

And the same is herewith transmitted

R. G. O'BRIEN, *Chief Clerk.*

Report of committee on Counties,

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Counties to whom was referred,

H. B. 85.—An act to authorize the county Commissioners of Pierce county to appoint county Assessor.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back with recommendation they it do not pass.

T. J. SMITH, *Chairman.*

On motion the report was adopted, the House thereby refusing to pass the bill.

Report of committee on Counties

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Counties to whom was referred

C. B. 54.—An act in relation to county Auditors.

Have had the same under consideration and report a substitute prepared by the Clerks of the Code committee and recommend the same do pass.

T. J. SMITH, *Chairman.*

On motion the report was adopted and

H. B. 110.—Substitute for

C. B. 54.—An act in relation to County Auditors.

Read first time in part and also second time by title under suspension of the rules.

The bill was referred to the committee on Judiciary.

Report of committee of the whole

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee of the whole to whom was referred

H. B. 68.—An act to provide for the assessing and collecting of County and Territorial revenue.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back with the following amendments, to printed copy.

Section 3, line 6, after first county insert "when personally called upon;" line 7 after second taxation add "that he had;" section 17, line 3, strike out part owner and insert in lieu thereof "agent or managing owner." Section 18—strike out part in line 2 and line 3 and insert in lieu thereof "managing owner or agent." Section 57, line 7,—strike out the words "wherein complaint is made;" in line 14, strike out "April" and insert "February;" and in line 15 strike out "a reasonable" and insert "two days' notice in writing." Strike out all of section 60. Section 62, line 6,—strike out five and insert four; in line 7 add after "bridges and roads" and after the word "mills," "for roads and bridges may levy not to exceed two mills in cash." Section 74—strike out in lines 11 and 12 all after "law." Section 42—insert in line 1 after "may" "or thereafter." Section 69—strike out in line 10 "section 84, (62)." Section 83—strike out after the word "county" in line 2 and insert "or in some newspaper published in the Territory of general circulation in

the county;" strike out in line 2 from the word "county" to the word "county" in 3d line wherever it appears. Section 91, line 4,—after "that" add "nothing." Section 108—in line 7 add after the word "or" "the sheriff of any county may give said notice." Section 116—strike out all said section after the words "sold to county" in line 3. Section 139—strike out "February" in first line and insert "April" and insert after the word "and" where it occurs the second time in line 3, "on or before the 1st day of February each year." Section 149—insert after the word "thereto" in line 3 "in some newspaper published in the territory and in general circulation in the county;" and add as sections 167 and 168 the amendments hereunto attached. Section 166, line 16,—add after "roads" the words "and bridges."

J. A. KUHN, *Ch'n Committee.*

On motion the report was adopted.

Mr. Kuhn moved to reconsider the vote by which the House passed

H. B. 94.—An act appropriating money for a wagon road across the Cascade mountains.

A motion to adjourn was lost.

A call of the House being demanded Mr. Kincaid was found absent

A motion to send the Sergeant-at-arms after him, was lost.

The Ayes and Noes on reconsidering the vote by which the bill passed resulted as follows:

Ayes—Messrs. Catlin, Cornwall, Freeman, Judson, Karr, O'Neil, Preston, Rees, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Warman, Van Eaton and Speaker—13.

Noes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen Clark, Dillon, Holcomb, Kuhn, Raymond, Smith of King, Steen, Taylor—10.

Absent—Mr. Kincaid—1.

The vote reconsidered.

On motion the House adjourned.

GEORGE COMEGYS,
Speaker of the House.

E. R. BURK,
Chief Clerk.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Friday, Nov. 18, 1881.

House called to order by the Speaker.

All members present at roll call

Journal of yesterday read and approved.

BILLS, REPORTS AND OTHER BUSINESS LYING ON THE TABLE.

The Special committee to whom was referred

C. B. 59.—An act to incorporate the city of Colfax.

Reported the same back with amendments.

On motion of Mr. Kuhn, the report was adopted.

The bill as amended was read the third time by title and went to vote with the following result:

Ayes.—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Clark, Cornwall, Dillon, Judson, Karr, Kincaid, Kuhn, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Taylor, Van Eaton, Warman and Mr. Speaker—21.

Absent—Messrs. Freeman, Holcomb and Steen—3.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

The Clerk was instructed to report the bill to Council now.

MR. SPEAKER—

Your Special committee on Printing the Laws, ask leave to report progress as follows:

Upon an examination of reports, letters of instructions and correspondence from the Secretary of the Treasury now on file in the office of the Secretary of the Territory, we find that the Secretary of the Territory is the officer designated by law to do the printing of the session laws, when the Legislative Assembly shall have placed the same in his office. We further find that he has nothing to do with the kind of type, the measurement or the compensation. All this is fixed by the Treasury Department, where duplicate copies of all the work is sent by the Secretary and where the same is measured by an expert in the department. The Secretary further informs us that he had asked both by letter and telegraph for specific instructions in regard to printing and binding the Code under the appropriation of March 3rd, 1881, and that he had received a dispatch from the Treasury Department, dated Nov. 5th, 1881, informing him that instructions would be sent him at once. Allowing the usual time, 15 days, for a letter to reach here, from Washington, the instructions will not reach here before the 20th inst., provided they were mailed on the 5th which is not probable; we have had a conference with the agent of a publishing house in San Francisco who is waiting for further instructions. We have also had propositions from the territorial printer, which are now under consideration.

Your committee would therefore ask for a few days further time before making their final report as very much is depending upon the instructions to be received by the Secretary, from the department at Washington.

T. J. SMITH,
L. P. SMITH,
Committee.

The report was adopted and further time was granted.

Message from the Council.

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
Nov. 18, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER—

I am instructed by the Council to inform the House that the Council has passed.

C. B. 128.—An act to authorize the County Commissioners of Whitman county to appropriate money to build and maintain pest houses in said county

And the same is herewith transmitted with a telegram from the board of health of that county, and respectfully request that the same, claim your immediate consideration.

R. G. O'BRIEN, *Chief Clerk.*

The House took up

H. B. 94.—An act appropriating money for a wagon road across the Cascade mountains.

Mr. Smith of Whitman moved to amend by striking out $2,000, where it appears and inserting $1,000 in lieu thereof.

Amendment lost.

Mr. Clark moved to amend by adding. *Provided*, that the counties of King and Yakima, shall each appropriate $2,000 for the same purpose. Amendment was adopted.

Mr. Judson moved a further amendment.

Sec. 9. The territorial auditor shall not issue any warrant until the commissioners mentioned in this bill certify to the territorial auditor under oath that the amount of $2,000 for the county of King and $2,000 for the county of Yakima, have been placed at their disposal.

Amendment adopted.

The bill as amended went to vote as follows:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Clark, Cornwall, Freeman, Holcomb, Kincaid, Kuhn, O'Neil, Smith of King, Steen, Warman and Mr. Speaker—13.

Noes—Messrs. Catlin, Dillon, Judson, Karr, Preston, Raymond, Rees, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Taylor, Van Eaton—11.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

The Clerk was instructed to report the bill to the Council

BILLS, REPORTS AND OTHER BUSINESS FROM THE COUNCIL.

C. B. 128.—An act to authorize the county commissioners of Whitman county to appropriate money to build and maintain pest houses in said county.

Read first time. Read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

Read third time by title and went to vote with the following result:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Clark, Cornwall, Dillon, Freeman, Karr, Kincaid, O'Neil, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor, Van Eaton, Kuhn, Preston and Mr. Speaker—21.

Absent—Messrs. Holcomb, Judson, Warman—3.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

The Clerk was instructed to report the bill to the Council,

H. B. 26.—Substitute for

H. B. 4.—An act in regard to Probate Judges

Was returned from the Council amended

On motion the bill was indefinitely postponed.

C. J. R. 22.—Relating to school law.

Read the first time also the second time by title under suspension of the rules.

On motion the resolution was indefinitely postpone.

C. B. 124.—An act for the relief of certain Counties.

Read first time.

And read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

And on motion referred to the committee on Ways, Means and Claims.

On motion of Mr. Clark the House took up

H. B. 68.—An act to provide for the assessing and collecting of county and territorial revenue

Mr. Kuhn moved to amend Sec. 62 by increasing the territorial from "two" to "two and one half mills."

Ayes and Noes being called for resulted as follows:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Clark, Cornwall, Dillon, Holcomb, Judson, Karr, Kincaid, Kuhn, O'Neil, Preston, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor, Warman, Van Eaton—14.

Noes—Messrs. Catlin, Freeman, Raymond, Rees and Mr. Speaker—5.

Amendment adopted.

Mr. Preston moved that the Speaker appoint a committee of two to assist the clerk in inserting the amendments in one of the printed bills to be reported as substitute for the original bill. Motion carried.

The Speaker appointed Messrs. Van Eaton and Rees, as such committee.

Message from the Council.

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
November 18, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER—

I am instructed by the Council to inform the House that the President has signed

C. B. 75.—An act to establish District Courts and fixing the terms thereof in the First Judicial District.

C. B. 114.—An act to repeal an act entitled an act to establish pilots and pilot regulations for San Juan de Fuca straits, Puget Sound, and all American waters pertaining thereto, approved, Jan. 30, 1868.

C. B. 115.—An act for the relief of Lucinda M. Ballard.

Herewith transmitted for your signature, also

H. B. 41.—An act to authorize the county commissioners of Clallam county to borrow money.

Herewith returned.

And that the Council has passed with amendments

H. B. 77.—An act to appropriate money for the Territorial University

By striking out $1,500 and inserting $2,500 in section 1 and strike out $500 and insert $1,000 in section 2; herewith returned for your concurrence.

R. G. O'BRIEN, *Chief Clerk.*

Speaker gave notice that he was about to sign the above Council bills

The House adjourned until 2 P. M.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

House called to order by the Speaker.

All the members present at roll call but Messrs. Holcomb and Karr.

On motion of Mr. Preston,

H. B. 68.—An act to provide for the assessing and collecting of County and Territorial revenue.

Was taken up

On motion of Mr. Judson

A printed bill was substituted for the original.

Bill read the third time by title and went to vote with the following result:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Clark, Cornwall, Dillon, Freeman, Judson, Kincaid, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor, Warman, Van Eaton, Mr. Speaker—21.

No—Mr. Kuhn—1.

Absent—Messrs. Holcomb, Karr—2.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

The Clerk was instructed to report the bill to the Council.

Message from the Council:

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
Nov. 18, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER—

I am instructed by the Council to inform the House that the President has signed

C. B. 128.—An act to authorize the county commissioners of Whitman county to appropriate money for building and maintaining pest houses in said county.

Herewith transmitted for your signature,

R. G. O'BRIEN, *Chief Clerk.*

Speaker gave notice that he was about to sign the above bills

Mr. Kuhn moved to reconsider the vote by which the House adopted the report of the committee on

H. B. 66.—An act to review and survey a Territorial road in Thurston and Chehalis counties.

Motion carried, and vote reconsidered

On motion of Mr. Kuhn, the bill was referred to the members from Thurston, Chehalis and Pacific counties.

Mr. Preston gave notice that he would to-morrow move

to amend the rules so that the House would meet at 1 instead of at 2 P. M., the remainder of the session.

BILLS AND OTHER BUSINESS FROM THE COUNCIL.

H. B. 77.—Substitute for

H. B. 7.—An act appropriating money and otherwise providing for the Territorial University,

Returned from the Council amended.

Mr. Judson moved to further amend the bill by appropriating $1,000 per annum for two years for the support of several graded schools in the Territory.

Mr. Rees in the chair.

The Ayes and Noes being called for resulted as follows:

Ayes—Messrs. Catlin, Cornwall, Dillon Freeman, Judson, O'Neil, Preston, Rees, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Warman, Van Eaton, Karr, Mr. Speaker—14.

Noes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Clark, Holcomb, Kincaid, Kuhn, Raymond, Smith of King, Steen, Taylor—10.

Amendment adopted.

Mr. Kuhn moved to indefinitely postpone the bill

The Ayes and Noes being called for on the adoption of the amendment resulted as follows:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Catlin, Dillon, Holcomb, Kuhn, Raymond, Smith of King, Smith of Whitman, Steen—9.

Noes—Messrs. Allen, Clark, Cornwall, Freeman, Judson, Karr, Kincaid, O'Neil, Preston, Rees, Smith of Klickitat, Taylor, Van Eaton, Warman and Mr. Speaker—19.

Motion to postpone lost.

On motion the House concurred in the Council amendments and the Clerk was instructed to inform the Council of the amendment and concurrence.

The House took a recess of fifteen minutes.

House called to order by the Speaker.

PETITION, MEMORIALS AND REMONSTRANCES.

Mr. Steen introduced

H. M. 18.—In regard to indemnity lands.

Read first time.

Read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

The rules were further suspended and the memorial read the third time and placed upon its final passage with the following result;

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Catlin, Clark, Dillon, Freeman, Cornwall, Holcomb, Karr, Kuhn, O'Neil, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Steen, Taylor, Van Eaton, Allen, Kincaid, Smith of Whitman, Warman, Judson and Mr. Speaker—23.

Absent—Mr. Preston—1.

The memorial passed.

Mr. Alexander introduced,

H. M. 19.—Praying that the necessary action be taken to secure the speedy construction of the branch line of N. P. R. R. over the Cascade mountains to Puget Sound.

Read first time.

Read second time by title under suspension of rules.

The rules were further suspended and the memorial was read third time by title and placed on its final passage with the following result:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Clark, Cornwall, Dillon, Freeman, Holcomb, Karr, Kincaid, Preston, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor, Van Eaton, Warman, Judson, Kuhn, Mr. Speaker—23.

Absent—Mr. O'Neil—1.

The memorial passed.

PROPOSITIONS AND MOTIONS.

Mr. Holcomb introduced,

H. B. 111.—An act to change the county line between the counties of Skamania and Klickitat.

Read first time and also second time by title, under suspension of the rules.

And on motion referred to the committee on Counties.

Mr. Dillon introduced,

H. B.112.—An act authorizing the county commissioners of Clarke county, W. T., to borrow money to build a court house and jail.

Read first time,

Read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

Read the third time by title under further suspension of the rules and went to vote with the following result:

The bill went to vote with the following result:

Ayes—24.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

Mr. Warman introduced,

H. B. 113.—An act prohibiting fowls, poultry, such as ducks, chickens, geese, turkeys or other domestic fowls from running at large in Pacific county.

Read first time. Read second time by title under suspension of the rules,

And on motion the bill was referred to the Committee on Agriculture

Mr. Kuhn introduced,

H. B. 114.—An act defining judicial days.

Read first time, also second time by title under suspension of the rules. On motion referred to the committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Kuhn introduced,

H. B. 115.—An act to regulate the descent of real estate and personal property.

Read first time in part.

Read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

The rules were further suspended, and the bill read the third time by title then went to vote with the following result:

Ayes—24.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

Mr. Rees introduced

H. B. 116.—An act in relation to graded schools in incorporated cities and towns.

Read first time in part.

Read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

On motion referred to the committee on Education with instructions to print.

Mr. Smith of Klickitat introduced,

H. B. 117.—An act to submit the question of prohibition of the manufacture and sale of liquors to the legal voters of the Territory of Washington.

Read first time. Read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

And on motion referred to the committee on Counties.

Mr. Kuhn introduced,

H. B. 118.—An act in relation to mortgages on certain kinds of property.

Read first time, read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

The bill was read third time by title under further suspenion of the rules.

The bill went to vote with he following result:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Cornwall, Dillon, Freeman, Karr, Kincaid, Kuhn, O'Neil, Preston, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor, Van Eaton, Warman and Mr. Speaker—20.

Noes—Mr. Holcomb—1.

Absent—Messrs. Clark, Judson, Raymond—3.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

Mr. Karr gave notice that in five days he would introduce a bill in relation to certain Probate Judges.

On motion the House adjourned.

GEORGE COMEGYS,
Speaker of the House.

E. R. BURK,
Chief Clerk.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Saturday, Nov. 19, 1881.

House called to order by the Speaker.

All the members were present at roll call.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

Journal of yesterday read and approved.

PROPOSITIONS AND MOTIONS.

Committee on Counties introduced,

H. B. 119.—An act relating to estrays.

Read first time.

Read second time by title under suspension of the rules

Read third time by title under further suspension of rules.

The bill went to vote with the following result:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Clark, Cornwall, Dillon, Freeman, Judson, Karr, Kincaid, Kuhn, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor, Van Eaton, Warman, Speaker—23.

Absent—Mr. Holcomb—1.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

Message from the Council:

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
November 19, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER—

I am instructed by the Council to inform the House that the Council has passed

C. B. 123.—An act to organize the county of Garfield.

Herewith transmitted with accompanying petitions.

C. B. 130.—An act to authorize the county commissioners of Island county to pay a bounty for scalps of black bears.

Herewith transmitted.

Also, with amendments,

H. B. 97.—Substiute for

H. B. 86.—An act to amend the charter of the city of Goldendale.

H. B. 16.—"An act relative to elections and the mode of supplying vacancies"

Herewith transmitted for your concurrence.

R. G. O'BRIEN, *Chief Clerk.*

Committee on Counties introduced,

H. B. 120.—An act to provide for the election of county commissioners and defining their duties.

Read first time.

Read the second time by title under suspension of the rules.

Rules further suspended and the bill read the third time by title and placed on its final passage as follows:

Ayes.—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Clark, Dillon, Freeman, Holcomb, Judson, Karr, Kincaid, Kuhn, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Steen, Taylor, Van Eaton, Warman and Mr. Speaker—22.

Noes—Messrs. Cornwall, Smith of Whitman—2.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Kincaid the Governor's special message of Nov. 4th was referred to the committee on Education.

The same committee introduced,

H. B. 121.—An act regulating the support of the poor.

Read first time in part.

Read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

Rules further suspended and the bill read the third time by title and placed on its final passage as follows:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Cornwall, Dillon, Freeman, Clark, Judson, Karr, Kincaid, Kuhn, O'Neil, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor, Van Eaton, Warman, Preston and Mr. Speaker—23.

No—Mr. Holcomb—1.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

The same committee introduced,

H. B. 122.—An act for the protection of stock raisers.

Read first time.

Read second time by title, under suspension of the rules.

Rules further suspended and the bill read the third time by title and placed on its final passage as follows:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Catlin, Clark, Cornwall, Dillon, Judson, Karr, Kincaid, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor, Van Eaton, Allen, Warman and Mr. Speaker—21.

Noes—Messrs. Freeman, Holcomb—2.

Absent—Mr. Kuhn—1.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

The same committee introduced,

H. B. 123.—An act in relation to counties.

Read first time.

Read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

And on motion was referred to the Committee on Counties

The same committee introduced,

H. B. 124.—An act to create and regulate the office of county Surveyor.

Read first time in part.

Read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

Rules further suspended the bill read third time, by title, and placed on its final passage with the following result:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Clark, Catlin, Corwall, Dillon, Freeman, Holcomb, Judson, Karr, Kincaid, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor, Van Eaton, Warman and Mr. Speaker—23.

Absent—Mr. Kuhn—1.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

The same committee introduced,

H. B. 125.—An act in relation to county Treasurer.

Read first time in part and also second time by title under suspension of the rules.

On motion was referred to the committee on Judiciary

The same committee introduced,

H. B. 126.—An act to protect the inmates of the insane asylum.

Read first time.

Read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

Rules further suspended and the bill read the third time by title and then went to vote with the following result:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Clark, Cornwall, Dillon, Judson, Karr, Kincaid, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor, Warman, Van Eaton and Speaker—21.

Noes—Messrs. Freeman, Holcomb—2.

Absent—Mr. Kuhn—1.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

The same committee introduced,

H. B. 127.—An act to create and regulate the office of sheriff.

Read first time in part.

Read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

Rules further suspended bill was read the third time and placed on its final passage with the following result:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Catlin, Clark, Cornwall, Dillon, Judson, Karr, Kincaid, O'Neil, Preston, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor, Van Eaton, Warman and Mr. Speaker—19.

Noes—Mr. Holcomb—1.

Absent—Messrs. Allen, Freeman, Kuhn, Raymond—4.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

The same committee introduced,

H. B. 128.—An act relative to coroners.

Read first time in part. Read second time, by title under suspension of the rules.

The bill was referred to the committee on Judiciary

Mr. Kuhn, introduced,

H. B. 129.—An act in relation to foreign corporations holding property or doing business in this Territory.

Read first time in part.

Read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

On motion referred to the Speaker.

Mr. Kuhn, introduced,

H. B. 130.—An act to create the office of wreckmaster and define his duties.

Read first time in part.

Read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

The rules were further suspended, and the bill read the third time then went to vote with the following result:

Ayes.—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Clark, Dillon,

Freeman, Holcomb, Cornwall, Karr, Kincaid, Kuhn, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor, Van Eaton, Warman and Mr. Speaker—23.

Absent—Mr. Judson—1.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

Mr. Kuhn introduced,

H. B. 131.—An act to provide for the formation of corporations.

Read first time. Read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

And on motion referred to the committee on Corporations.

Mr. Preston introduced, the following resolution:

Resolved, That the rules be so amended as to require the House to convene at 1 o'clock P. M., instead of 2 o'clock P. M.

Motion to adopt lost.

Mr. Holcomb introduced,

H. B. 132.—An act entitling women to hold office.

Read first time.

On motion the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Mr. Holcomb introduced,

H. B. 133.—An act for no license for the sale of liquors.

Read first time.

On motion the bill was indefinitely postpone.

Mr. Holcomb introduced,

H. B. 134.—An act witnesses to acknowledgment of writing.

Read first time.

Read the second time by title under suspension of the rules.

The bill was referred to the committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Warman was granted leave of absence until 10 o'clock Monday morning.

A motion to adjourn was lost.

ENGROSSED BILLS READ THIRD TIME.

Report of committee on Engrossed bills

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Engrossed bills to whom was referred

C. B. 83.—An act in relation to taking up of saw logs and other timber of value in Snake river.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back correctly engrossed.

R. P. STEEN, *Chairman.*

The bill was referred to the committee on Counties.

Report of committee on Engrossed bills,

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Engrossed bills to whom was referred

H. B. 55.—An act to incorporate the city of Port Townsend.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back correctly engrossed.

R. P. STEEN, *Chairman.*

Mr. Kuhn moved to amend by striking out of section 17, line 8, the words "support" and "paupers".

The bill as amended was read the third time by title and went to vote with the following result:

Ayes.—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Clark, Cornwall, Dillon, Judson, Karr, Kincaid, Kuhn, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Taylor, Van Eaton, Warman, Freeman, Mr. Speaker—22.

Absent—Messrs. Holcomb and Steen—2.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

The Clerk was instructed to report the above bills to Council.

On motion the House adjourned until 2 P. M.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

House called to order by the Speaker.

All the members present at roll call but Mr. Warman absent on leave.

Mr. Taylor introduced

H. B. 135.—An act to reimburse Yakima county.

Read first time.

Read second time by title under suspension of the rules

On motion was referred to the committee on Ways, Means and Claims

Mr. Taylor introduced

H. B. 136.—An act for the relief of Yakima county.

Read first time. Read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

The bill was referred to the committee on Ways, Means and Claims.

Mr. Rees in the chair.

BILLS, REPORTS AND OTHER BUSINESS LYING ON THE TABLE.

Report of committee on Judiciary.

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Judiciary to whom was referred

C. B. 110.—An act relating to executing and recording of instruments.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back and recommend that it do pass.

J. A. KUHN, *Chairman.*

On motion the bill was indefinitely postponed.

Message from the Council:

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
November 19, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER—

I am instructed by the Council to inform the House that the Council has passed.

H. B. 105.—An act to amend an act entitled an act for the protection of the Joshua Brown school fund. Approved Nov. 2, 1875.

H. B. 107.—An act for the relief of L. P. Berry, Sergeant-at-arms.

C. B. 118.—An act relating to proof and acknowledgment of instruments of writing.

C. B. 137.—An act to repeal an act to provide for the incorporation of cities, approved Nov. 29, 1871.

C. B. 138.—An act to repeal an act entitled an act to provide for the incorporation of towns, approved Nov. 29, 1871.

Herewith transmitted and

And that the President has signed

C. B. 100.—An act to amend an act entitled an act to declare certain persons habitual drunkards and to protect them and others in person and property, approved Nov. 14, 1879.

Herewith transmitted for your signature,

R. G. O'BRIEN, *Chief Clerk.*

Speaker gave notice that he was about to sign the above bills

Report of committee on Mines and Mining.

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Mines and Mining to whom was referred

C. B. 78.—An act for the appointment of inspectors of coal mines and to provide how they shall be ventilated.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back with the following amendment:

Amend the title by striking out "they" in fourth line and inserting "coal mines." Amend section 3, 3d line, strike out "all traveling expenses" and insert "ten cents per mile." Amend by striking out all of section 6 and recommend the passage of the same. O. KINCAID, *Chairman.*

On motion the report was adopted.

Bill read the third time by title and went to vote with the following result:

Ayes—Messrs. Allen, Catlin, Clark, Cornwall, Dillon, Freeman, Karr, Kincaid, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor, Van Eaton, Mr. Speaker—19.

Noes—Messrs. Alexander, Holcomb, Judson and Kuhn—4.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

Report of Committee on Judiciary,

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Judiciary to whom was referred

H. B. 100.—Substitute for

C. B. 54.—An act in relation to County Auditors.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend its passage. J. A. KUHN, *Ch'n Comm.*

Read third time by title and went to vote with the following result:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Clark, Cornwall, Dillon, Freeman, Judson, Karr, Kincaid, Kuhn, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor, Van Eaton and Mr. Speaker—21.

Noes—Messrs. Catlin, Holcomb—2.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

Report of committee on Agriculture.

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Agriculture to whom was referred

C. B. 119.—An act for the preservation of game and to prohibit shooting and hunting on enclosures, without permission of the owners thereof.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back and recommend that it do pass with the following amendment: strike out the word "fishing" in section 2.

A. VAN EATON, *Chairman.*

On motion the bill was indefinitely postponed, also

Your committee on Agriculture to whom was referred

H. B. 109.—An act to amend an act entitled an act prohibiting hogs from running at large in the counties of Columbia, Whitman, Stevens, Walla Walla, Yakima and Lewis.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back with the following amendment:

By adding, after the title of the act "Approved Nov. 5, 1879" and inserting "King" between Yakima and Lewis.

On motion the report was adopted.

The bill was referred to the committee on Judiciary.

Report of committee on Education

MR. SPEAKER—

Your Committee on Education to whom was referred

H. B. 102.—An act to provide a system of common schools.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back with the recommendation that it do pass with the following amendment

In second line of section 23 strike out "forty" and insert "one hundred."

J. A. KARR, *Chairman.*

On motion the report was adopted.

Mr. Karr's motion to amend by striking out the "one hundred" and inserting "fifty" prevailed.

Mr. Kuhn moved to insert "county" between the words "grade" and "certificate" in section 24.

Motion carried.

Mr. Judson moved to strike out the words "or who may get a certificate to teach small children."

Motion carried.

The bill was further amended by striking out of section 80, line 20, the words "or owned by residents of." Also by inserting the words "heretofore passed" in last section and "81" in lieu of "77."

On motion of Mr. Van Eaton,

The bill referred to the committee on Engrossed bills.

On leave Mr. Smith of Whitman introduced, under suspension of the rules.

C. B. 137.—An act for the relief of certain clerks and other employees of the present Legislative Assembly.

Read first time.

Read second time by title under suspension of rules.

Rules further suspened,

The bill was read third time and went to vote as follows:

Ayes—22.

Absent—Messrs. Catlin and Warman—2.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

The Clerk was instructed to inform the Council of the passed this day.

Mr. Preston presented a communication which was referred to the committee on Agriculture.

On motion the House adjourned.

GEORGE COMEGYS,
Speaker of the House.

E. R. BURK,
Chief Clerk.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Monday, Nov. 21, 1881.

House called to order by the Speaker.

All the members were present at roll call.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

Journal of Saturday read and approved.

Mr. Rees in the chair.

BILLS, REPORTS AND OTHER BUSINESS LYING ON THE TABLE.

Report of committee on Judiciary

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Judiciary to whom was referred

H. B. 114.—An act defining judicial days.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back with recommendation that it do pass.

J. A. KUHN, *Chairman.*

The bill was read third time and went to vote with the following result:

Ayes—Messrs. Catlin, Cornwall, Freeman, Judson, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Taylor, Van Eaton—10.

Noes—Messrs. Alexander, Clark, Dillon Holcomb,

Kincaid, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Warman—12.

Absent—Messrs. Allen, Mr. Speaker—2.

The House refused to pass the bill.

Report of committee on Counties

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Counties to whom was referred:

H. B. 123.—An act in relation to counties.

Have had the same under consideration and recommend the last line be striken out and that it do pass.

T. J. SMITH, *Chairman.*

The report was adopted.

The bill was read the third time in part and went to vote with the following result:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Catlin, Clark, Cornwall, Dillon, Freeman, Holcomb, Judson, Karr, Kincaid, Kuhn, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor, Van Eaton, Warman—22.

Absent—Messrs. Allen, Mr. Speaker—2.

Bill passed and title agreed to. Also

Your committee on Counties to whom was referred

H. B. 117.—An act to submit the question of prohibition of the manufacture and sale of liquors to the legal voters of the Territory of Washington.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back without recommendation.

T. J. SMITH, *Chairman.*

On motion referred to the committee on Education

Report of committee on Ways, Means and Claims

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Ways, Means and Claims to whom was referred

H. B. 78.—An act to provide for suitable representation in the Washington Monument, and

H. B. 96.—An act for the relief of Columbia county.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back and recommend they do not pass.

W. G. PRESTON, *Chairman.*

On motion the report was adopted, and the House thereby refusing to pass the bills.

MR. SPEAKER—

Your Committee on Agriculture to whom was referred

H. B. 113.—An act prohibiting fowls, poultry, such as ducks, chickens, geese, turkeys or other domestic fowls from running at large in Pacific county.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back without recommendation.

A. VAN EATON, *Chairman.*

A motion to indefinitely postpone was lost.

The bill read third time and went to vote with the following result:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Clark, Cornwall, Dillon, Freeman, Judson, Karr, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor, Van Eaton, Warman, Speaker—20.

Noes—Messrs. Catlin, Holcomb, Kincaid, Kuhn—4.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

Report of committee on Education

MR. SPEAKER:—

Your Committee on Education to whom was referred

H. B. 116.—An act in relation to graded schools in incorporated cities and towns.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back with the recommendation that it do pass.

And that the printing thereof be noted in the House journal

J. A. KARR, *Chairman.*

Speaker resumed the chair.

The bill was read third time.

A motion to strike out reasonable distance and insert "one mile." Was lost.

Mr. Steen moved to amend Sec. 1, line 4, by striking out "500" and inserting "300". Amendment adopted.

On motion of Mr. Kuhn,

The bill was further amended by adding in Sec. 4, line 5 "as required by law."

On motion of Mr. Van Eaton,

The word "week" in Sec. 3, line 2, was stricken out and the word "month" inserted.

The bill went to vote with the following result:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Clark, Cornwall, Dillon, Holcomb, Karr, Kuhn, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Rees Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor, Freeman, Warman, Van Eaton and Mr. Speaker—21.

Noes—Messrs. Catlin, Judson, Kincaid—3.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

On motion the House adjourned until 2 P. M.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

House called to order by the Speaker.

At roll call all members answered to their names.

BILLS, REPORTS AND OTHERS BUSINESS LYING ON THE TABLE.

Report of committee on Ways, Means and Claims.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your committee on Ways, Means and Claims to whom was referred

H. B. 42.—An act for the better preservation of the records of the Supreme court of Washington Territory.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back with recommendation that it do pass.

Amended as follows: where Sec. 1 reads $150, it be made to read $75.

W. G. PRESTON, *Chairman.*

On motion the report was adopted.

The bill as amended was read third time and went to vote as follows:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Cornwall, Dillon, Freeman, Holcomb, Judson, Karr, Kincaid, Kuhn, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor, Van Eaton, Warman and Mr. Speaker—23.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

Also,

Your committee on Ways, Means and Claims to whom was referred

H. B. 98.—An act for the relief of San Juan county.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back and recommend to strike out all of Sec. 2, and insert: "Sec. 2. The Territorial Auditor is hereby authorized to place to the credit of San Juan county the sum of one hundred and seventy-one dollars."

W. G. Preston, *Chairman.*

On motion the report was adopted.

The bill as amended was read the third time and then went to vote as follows:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Clark, Cornwall, Dillon, Freeman, Judson, Karr, Kincaid, Kuhn, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor, Van Eaton, Warman and Mr. Speaker—23.

Noes—Mr. Holcomb—1.

Bill passed and title agreed to. Also

Your committee on Ways, Means and Claims to whom was referred

C. B. 111.—An act to provide for the purchase of suitable desks and furniture for the office of Territorial Auditor,

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back and recommend that it do pass.

W. G. PRESTON, *Chairman.*

The bill was read third time went to vote with the following result:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Clark, Cornwall, Judson, Karr, Kuhn, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Taylor, Van Eaton, Warman, and Mr. Speaker—16.

Noes—Messrs. Catlin, Dillon, Freeman, Holcomb, Kincaid, Smith of Whitman, Steen—7.

Absent—Mr. Allen—1.

Bill passed and titled agreed to. Also

Your committee on Way, Means and Claims to whom was referred

C. B. 124.—An act for the relief of certain Counties.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back with recommendation that it pass

W. G. PRESTON, *Chairman.*

Read the third time and went to vote as follows:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Clark, Cornwall, Dillon, Judson, Karr, Kincaid, Kuhn, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor, Van Eaton, Warman and Mr. Speaker—22.

Noes—Messrs. Freeman, Holcomb—2.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

A message was received from the Governor relative to life saving stations, light houses etc.

And on motion was referred to committee on Commerce and Fisheries, with instructions to report by memorial or otherwise; also

Your committee on Ways, Means and Claims to whom was referred

H. B. 135.—An act to reimburse Yakima county.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back and recommend that it do pass.

W. G. PRESTON, *Chairman.*

The bill was read the third time and went to vote with the following result:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Clark, Cornwall, Dillon, Freeman, Judson, Karr, Kuhn, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Taylor—16.

Noes—Messrs. Catlin, Kincaid, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Van Eaton, Warman, Mr. Speaker—7.

Absent—Mr. Holcomb—1.

Bill passed and title agreed to. Also

Your committee on Ways, Means and Claims to whom was referred

C. B. 107.—An act to provide for the transportation of insane persons to asylum and provide the compensation thereof.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back with recommendation that Sec. 1st be amended so as to read Sec. 1. That the costs of transporting persons to the insane asylum shall be paid by the Territory of Washington.

In Sec. 4, strike out "five" and insert "three dollars," strike out the words "actually and" in Sec. 4 and 5; strike out sections 6 and 7 and insert new Sec. 6, 7, and 8, as attached.

W. G. PRESTON, *Chairman.*

On motion the report was adopted

The bill as amended was read the third time and went to vote with the following result:

Ayes.—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Clark, Cornwall, Dillon, Judson, Karr, Kincaid, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor, Van Eaton, Warman, Freeman, Mr. Speaker—22.

Absent—Messrs. Holcomb and Kuhn—2.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

Report of committee on Roads and Highways.

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Roads and Highways to whom was referred

H. B. 99.—An act in relation to roads, bridges, ferries and travel on public highways.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back with the recommendation that it do pass with the following amendment

In section 26 after "provided in" strike out "section of;" in same section after "assessment in" strike out "section" and insert "this act;" after "and may" strike out "with the consent of the owner;" after "District and" strike out "may with the consent of the owner;" after the words "decision or decisions" the annexed. In the last part of section 67 strike out "Provided further that this act shall not be construed so as to repeal any law heretofore passed extending the time for working on public roads in Cowlitz county."

J. M. CORNWALL, *Chairman.*

On motion the report was adopted.

The bill was further amended by striking out "fifteenth" in Sec. 21 and inserting "first."

On motion of Mr. Kuhn,

The bill was made the special order for to-morrow at 2 P. M.

On leave Mr. Smith of Whitman from the committee on Counties introduced the following bills.

Mr. Smith of Whitman moved that each bill be read the first time by title, the second time the same,

Motion carried.

H. B. 138.—An act concerning fences.

Read first time by title

Read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

And on motion was referred to the Committee on Counties

H. B. 139.—An act relative to taking up drift sawlogs and other timber.

Read first time by title.

Read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

And on motion referred to the committee on Counties.

H. B. 140.—An act to regulate interest on money.

Read first time by title.

Read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

The bill was referred to the committee on Ways, Means and Claims.

H. B. 141.—An act to regulate fees and costs.

Read first time by title and also second time by title under suspension of the rules.

And on motion the bill was referred to the Committee on Counties.

H. B. 142.—An act in relation to scows, skiffs, boats, canoes and other water craft found adrift.

Read first time by title.

Read second time by title, under suspension of the rules.

And on motion the bill was referred to the committee on Commerce and Fisheries.

H. B. 143.—An act to provide against dangerous and vicious cattle.

Read first time by title. Read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

And on motion referred to the committee on Agriculture.

H. B. 144.—An act in regard to clerks of the supreme and district courts and prescribing certain —— for such clerks.

Read first time by title.

Read second time by title under suspension of the rules

And on motion was referred to the committee on Judiciary.

H. B. 145.—An act for the relief of commission merchants, carriers, wharfingers and warehousemen.

Read first time by title.

Read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

And on motion referred to the committee on Commerce and Fisheries.

H. B. 146.—An act in relation to quartz mining claims.

Read first time by title.

Read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

And on motion referred to committee on Mines and Mining

H. B. 147.—An act for the construction of drains, ditches and water courses.

Read first time by title. Read second time, by title under suspension of the rules.

And on motion referred to the committee on Agriculture

H. B. 148.—An act in relation to attorneys and counselors at law.

Read first time by title.

Read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

On motion was referred to the committee on Judiciary

H. B. 149.—An act in relation to grand and petit jurors.

Read first time by title.

Read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

On motion referred to the committee on Judiciary.

H. B. 150.—An act to regulate peddling boats.

Read first time by title.

Read second time by title under suspension of rules.

And on motion referred to the Committee on Education.

H. B. 151.—An act to establish the amounts and provide for the payment of costs in certain cases.

Read first time.

Read the second time by title under suspension of the rules.

The bill was referred to the committee on Judiciary.

H. B. 152.—An act to fix the age of majority.

Read first time. Read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

And on motion referred to the committee on Military Affairs

H. B. 153.—An act relating to assessors.

Read first time and also second time by title, under suspension of the rules.

And on motion referred to the committee on Counties.

A. B. 154.—An act relative to the vacation of town plats.

Read first time, also second time by title under suspension of the rules

And on motion referred to the committee on Corporations.

H. B. 155.—An act in relation to the recording of town plats.

Read the first time also the second time by title under suspension of the rules.

And on motion referred to the committee on Corporations.

H. B. 156.—An act relative to unclaimed property and lost money or goods.

Read first time,

And second time by title under suspension of the rules.

On motion was referred to the committee on Ways, Means and Claims

H. B. 157.—An act in relation to bills of exchange and promissory notes.

Read first time. And second time by title under suspension of the rules,

Read third time in full under further suspension of the rules.

The bill then went to vote as follows:

Ayes—23.

Absent—Mr. Allen—1.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

Mr. Kuhn introduced,

H. B. 158.—An act to prevent fraudulent conveyances.

Read first time by title.

Read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

On motion referred to the committee on Judiciary

On motion of Mr. Warman,

The House took from the table.

H. B. 109.—An act to amend an act entitled an act prohibiting hogs from running at large in the counties of Columbia, Whitman, Stevens, Walla Walla, Yakima and Lewis.

The bill went to vote with he following result:

Unanimous ayes.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Kuhn,

The House took from the table.

H. B. 95.—An act providing for the protection of deer in Mason county.

Read third time.

Mr. Kuhn moved to amend by adding the following section: "Section 5. This shall apply of Mason, Kitsap.

Amendment adopted.

The bill went to vote as follows:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Kuhn, Catlin, Corwall, Dillon, Freeman, Holcomb, Judson, Karr, Kincaid, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor, Van Eaton, Warman and Mr. Speaker—23.

No—Mr. Clark—1.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

Mr. Smith of Whitman moved to reconsider the vote by which the House on Saturday indefinitely postponed.

C. B. 119.—An act for the preservation of game and to prohibit shooting and hunting on enclosures, without permission of the owners thereof.

Motion carried, and vote reconsidered

On motion bill was referred to the committee on Counties.

On motion the House adjourned.

GEORGE COMEGYS,
Speaker of the House.

E. R. BURK,
Chief Clerk.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Tuesday, Nov. 22, 1881.

House called to order by the Speaker.

All the members were present at roll call but Mr. Kincaid.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

Journal of yesterday read and approved.

BILLS, REPORTS AND OTHER BUSINESS FROM THE COUNCIL.

H. B. 97.—An act to amend the charter of the city of Goldendale.

Returned from the Council amended.

The House concurred in the amendments.

Article 1 where it appeared was made to read Article 2.

C. B. 123.—An act to organize the county of Garfield.

Read first time, read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

A call of the House was ordered. Messrs. Preston, and Taylor found absent. They were excused.

On motion the bill was referred to the Representatives from Columbia county.

On motion of Mr. Smith of Whitman,

The committee was instructed to report at 10 o'clock A. M. to morrow and that the bill be made the special order of business of that hour.

Message from the Council:

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
November 20, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER—

I am instructed by the Council to inform the House that the Council has passed

H. B.112.—An act authorizing the county commissioners of Clarke county, W. T., to borrow money to build a court house and jail.

H. B. 118.—An act in relation to mortgages on certain kinds of property.

H. B. 119.—An act relating to estrays.

H. B. 120.—An act to provide for the election of county commissioners and defining their duties.

With two amendments.

H. B. 121.—An act regulating the support of the poor.

H. B. 122.—An act for the protection of stock raisers.

H. B. 124.—An act to create and regulate the office of county Surveyor.

H. B. 126.—An act to protect the inmates of the insane asylum.

H. B. 127.—An act to create and regulate the office of sheriff.

H. B. 130.—An act to create the office of wreckmaster and define his duties.

C. B. 140.—An an act supplemental to an act entitled an act to amend an act to establish District courts in the First and Second judicial districts, approved Nov. 10, 1881.

C. B. 117.—An act to provide for the construction of dikes and ditches.

C. B. 142.—An act for the relief of Lewis McMillan with accompanying vouchers.

C. B. 133.—An act in relation to University lands in W. T.

H. B. 137.—An act for the relief of certain clerks and other employees of the present Legislative Assembly

With amended title.

H. B. 104.—An act to amend an act entitled An act regu-

lating salmon fisheries on the Columbia river and its tributaries approved Nov. 14, 1879.

C. B. Substitute for

H. M. 17.—Praying for further appropriations for the Cascade locks.

H. B. 92.—An act to amend an act entitled an act to provide for the inspection and measurement of logs and the formation of lumber districts, approved Nov. 11, 1879.

All of which are herewith transmitted

R. G. O'BRIEN, *Chief Clerk.*

C. B. 117.—An act to provide for the construction of dikes and ditches.

Read first time in part.

And read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

The bill was referred to the committee on Agriculture

C. B. 118.—An act relating to proof and acknowledgment of instruments of writing.

Read first time

Read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

On motion the bill was indefinitely postponed.

C. B. 131.—An act defining the fiscal year.

Read first time.

Read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

On motion the bill was indefinitely postpone.

C. B. 130.—An act to authorize the county commissioners of Island county to pay a bounty for scalps of black bears.

Read first time

Read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

On motion the bill was indefinitely postponed,

C. B. 133.—An act in relation to University lands in W. T.

Read first time

Read second time by title under suspension of the rules

And referred to the committee on Education

H. B. 120.—An act to provide for the election of county commissioners and defining their duties.

Was returned from the Council amended

On motion the House concurred

H. B. 137.—An act for the relief of the employees of the present Legislative Assembly.

Was returned from the Council with amended title.

On motion the House concurred.

C. B. 137.—An act to repeal an act to provide for the incorporation of cities, approved Nov. 9, 1877.

Read first time. Read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

And on motion referred to the committee on Corporations.

C. B. 138.—An act to repeal an act entitled an act to provide for the incorporation of towns, approved Nov. 29, 1871.

Read first time

Read second time by title, under suspension of the rules.

On motion was referred to the committee on Corporations.

C. B. 140.—An an act supplemental to an act entitled an act to amend an act to establish District courts in the First and Second judicial districts, approved Nov. 10, 1881.

Read first time and also second time by title under suspension of the rules.

The bill then went to vote as follows:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Cornwall, Dillon, Judson, Karr, Kincaid, Kuhn, O'Neil, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Van Eaton, Warman and Mr. Speaker—18.

Noes—Mr. Holcomb—1.

Absent—Messrs. Clark, Freeman, Preston, Raymond, Taylor—5.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

C. B. 142.—An act for the relief of Lewis McMillan with accompanying vouchers.

Read first time.

Read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

Referred to committee on Ways, Means and Claims

C. Substitute for

H. M. 17.—Relative to further appropriation for the Cascade locks.

Read first time.

Read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

Read third time by title under further suspension of the rules.

The memorial then went to vote with the following result:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Clark, Cornwall, Dillon, Freeman, Holcomb, Karr, Kincaid, O'Neil, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Van Eaton, Warman and Speaker—19.

Noes—Mr. Kuhn—1.

Absent—Messrs. Judson, Preston, Raymond, Taylor—4.

The memorial passed.

H. B. 16.—An act relative to elections and the mode of supplying vacancies

Was returned from the Council amended.

The House acted on the amendments seriatim, pending which the

House adjourned until 2 P. M.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

House called to order by the Speaker.

All the members present at roll call

On leave Mr. Preston introduced,

H. B. 159.—An act to incorporate the city of Waitsburg.

Read first time

And second time under suspension of the rules.

Rules further suspended and the bill read the third time by title and then went to vote with the following result:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Clark, Cornwall, Dillon, Freeman, Judson, Karr, Kincaid, Kuhn, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor, Van Eaton, Warman and Mr. Speaker—21.

Noes—Mr. Catlin—1.

Absent—Messrs. Allen, Holcomb—2.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

The Clerk was instructed to report the bill to the Council,

House took up.

H. B. 116.—An act relating to election and the mode of supplying vacancies.

And the amendments considered seriatim.

House concurred in all the amendments

Message from the Governor.

EXECUTIVE CHAMBER, Nov. 21, 1881.

To the House of Representatives:

I have this day approved

H. B. 41.—An act to authorize the county commissioners of Clallam county to borrow money.

H. B. 33.—An act to amend an act entitled An act to appropriate one-half of the Territorial tax of Snohomish county for year 1880 for the purpose of building a Territorial road therein

WM. A. NEWELL.

H. B. 99.—An act in relation to roads, bridges, ferries and travel on public highways.

Made a special order for this hour was taken from the table.

Section 20, line 3, was amended by striking out "second" and "February" and inserting "third" and "April."

Mr. Kuhn moved to amend by adding to section 69: "board of supervisors may put a portion of the road work on such small streams and sloughs as are used as public highways.

Amendment adopted.

The bill was considered read third time and went to vote with the following result:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Cornwall, Dillon, Judson, Karr, Kincaid, Kuhn, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Taylor, Van Eaton, Warman and Mr. Speaker—20.

Noes—Mr. Holcomb—1.

Absent—Messrs. Clark, Freeman, Steen—3.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

Mr. Catlin introduced,

H. M. 20.—Asking for an appropriation to remove obstruction from the Cowlitz river.

Read first, second, third time under suspension of the rules.

The memorial went to vote with the following result:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Cornwall, Dillon, Holcomb, Judson, Karr, Kincaid, Kuhn, O'Neil, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Taylor, Van Eaton, Warman, Preston, Mr. Speaker—21.

Absent—Messrs. Clark, Freeman, Steen—3.

The memorial passed.

Mr. Smith of King in the chair.

Mr. Alexander introduced.

H. M. 21.—To establish a mail route from Mukilteo, Snohomish county, to Leyman, Whatcom county, via Port Susan, W. T.

Read first, second and third time by title under suspension of the rules and went to vote with the following result:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Cornwall, Dillon, Holcomb, Judson, Kincaid, Kuhn, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Taylor, Van Eaton, Warman—17.

No—Mr. Karr—1.

Absent—Messrs. Clark, Freeman, Rees, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Mr. Speaker—6.

The memorial passed.

Report of committee on Enrolled bills

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Enrolled bills to whom was referred

H. B. 105.—An act to amend an act entitled an act for the protection of the Joshua Brown school fund. Approved Nov. 2, 1875. And

H. B. 107.—An act for the relief of L. P. Berry, Sergeant-at-arms.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back correctly enrolled.

R. R. REES, *Chairman.*

Message from the Council:

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
November 22, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER—

I am instructed by the Council to inform the House that the Council has passed

H. B. 159.—An act to incorporate the city of Waitsburg.

And concurred in the House amendments to

C. B. 107.—An act to provide for the transportation of insane persons to asylum and provide the compensation thereof.

And passed.

H. B. 109.—An act to amend an act entitled an act prohibiting hogs from running at large in the counties of Columbia, Whitman, Stevens, Walla Walla, Yakima and Lewis.

H. B. 157.—An act in relation to bills of exchange and promissory notes.

H. B. 123.—An act in relation to constables

H. B. 113.—An act prohibiting fowls, poultry, such as ducks, chickens, geese, turkeys or other domestic fowls from running at large in Pacific county.

C. B. 120.—An act to amend an act in relation to licenses.

Also, with amendments,

H. B. 115.—An act to regulate the descent of real estate and personal property.

And the same is herewith transmitted for your action and concurrence.

R. G. O'BRIEN, *Chief Clerk.*

PROPOSITIONS AND MOTIONS.

Mr. Dillon introduced,

H. B. 160.—An act to amend an act entitled an act to incorporate the city of Vancouver, approved Jan. 27, 1868.

Read first time,

And second time by title under suspension of the rules.

The rules were further suspended, and the bill read the third time then went to vote with the following result:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Cornwall, Dillon, Judson, Karr, Kincaid, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Taylor, Van Eaton, Warman and Mr. Speaker—19.

Noes—Mr. Holcomb—1.

Absent—Messrs. Clark, Freeman, Kuhn, Steen—4.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

Mr. Kuhn introduced,

H. B. 161.—An act in relation to the location of the county seat of Yakima county.

Read the first time also the second time by title under suspension of the rules.

And on motion the bill was referred to the Committee on Counties,

Mr. Holcomb introduced the following bills:

H. B. 162.—An act to authorize the formation of limited partnerships.

Read first time, also second time by title under suspension of the rules

Rules further suspended bill was read the third time by and title went to vote with the following result:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Cornwall, Dillon, Holcomb, Judson, Karr, Kincaid, Kuhn, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Taylor, Van Eaton, Warman—20.

Absent—Messrs. Clark, Freeman, Steen, Mr. Speaker—4.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

H. B. 163.—An act to provide for the appointment of Commissioners of deeds and to legalize their acts.

Read first time and also second time by title, under suspension of the rules.

Rules further suspended and the bill read the third time and went to vote as follows:

Ayes.—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Cornwall, Dillon, Holcomb, Judson, Karr, Kuhn, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Taylor, Van Eaton, Warman—19.

Absent—Messrs. Clark, Freeman, Kincaid, Steen and Mr. Speaker—4.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

H. B. 164.—An act to establish a uniform system of weights and measures and to create the office of sealer thereof.

Read first time by title.

Read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

Rules further suspended and the bill read the third time by title and placed on its final passage as follows:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Catlin, Cornwall, Dillon, Holcomb, Judson, Karr, Kuhn, O'Neil, Raymond, Smith of King, Smith of Whitman, Taylor, Warman—14.

Noes—Messrs. Allen, Preston, Smith of Klickitat, Van Eaton—4.

Absent—Messrs. Clark, Freeman, Kincaid, Rees, Steen, Mr. Speaker—6.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

H. B. 165.—An act in relation to notaries public.

Read first time. Read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

The bill was referred to the committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Kuhn, introduced,

H. B. 166.—An act to validate certain contracts made in regard to logs.

Read first time.

Read the second time by title under suspension of the rules.

And on motion referred to the committee on Counties.

Mr. Kuhn, introduced,

H. B. 167.—An act to regulate suits for divorce and alimony.

Read first time.

Read second time by title under suspension of rules.

On motion was referred to the committee on Judiciary

Mr. O'Neil introduced,

H. B. 168.—An act in relation to relocation of the county seat of Spokan county, W. T.

Read first time by title.

Read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

And on motion was referred to the Committee on Counties

Mr. Kuhn introduced,

H. B. 169.—An act to regulate and authorize the erection of wharves.

Read first time by title. Read second time, by title under suspension of the rules.

Rules further suspended and the bill read the third time by title and placed on its final passage as follows:

Ayes—16.

Noes—None.

Absent—Allen, Clark, Freeman, Steen, Judson, O'Neil, Rees and Mr. Speaker—8.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

Mr. Kuhn introduced

H. B. 170.—An act offering a bounty for killing wild animals.

Read first time.

Read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

Rules further suspended the bill read third time, by title, and placed on its final passage with the following result:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Cornwall, Dillon, Holcomb, Judson, Karr, Kincaid, Kuhn, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Taylor—16.

Noes—Messrs. Smith of Whitman, Van Eaton and Warman.—3.

Absent—Messrs. Clark, Freeman, Steen, Rees and Mr. Speaker—5.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

Mr. Judson gave notice that to-morrow he would move to amend rule 57, changing the time of meeting in the morning from 10 to 9 o'clock A. M.

On motion the House adjourned.

GEORGE COMEGYS,
Speaker of the House.

E. R. BURK,
Chief Clerk.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Wednesday, Nov. 23, 1881.

House called to order by the Speaker.

All the members were present at roll call.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

Journal of yesterday read and approved.

The Speaker gave notice that he was about to sign

H. B. 105.—An act to amend an act entitled an act for the protection of the Joshua Brown school fund.

And

H. B. 107.—An act for the relief of L. P. Berry.

Report of Special committee

MR. SPEAKER—

Your Special committee to whom was referred

C. B. 123.—An act to organize the county of Garfield.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back and recommend that it do not pass.

W. L. FREEMAN,
WM. CLARK,

On motion the report was received.

Minority report.

MR. SPEAKER—

Your Special committee to whom was referred

C. B. 123.—An act to organize the county of Garfield.

Beg leave to make a minority report as follows:

I have had the same under consideration and report the same back with the recommendation that it do pass from the following reasons: viz:

1st. I find a petition from the citizens forming the new county of Garfield consisting of five hundred and sixty-eight names; and after deducting new residents and repetitions believe there are 500 bona fide petitioners for said division and organization; and letters and documents from the west portion of Columbia county after division prayed for authorizing their councilman and representatives to concur with the said citizens petitioning and asking for said division and organization of the said new county of Garfield. All of said documents are on file with the Chief Clerk for the inspection of any and all members of this House. And

2nd. I find further that there are no remonstrances of any kind presented to your committee or to this Honorable body against the action prayed for in said petition and that any and all opponents have had notice of the measure now submitted for your consideration.

That I believe that the line prayed for in the bill for division is a good and equitable one for both sections concerned.

I also find that the representation from Columbia county are equally divided on this question, and respectfully ask that the question be definitely settled now. And suggest the following amendments to said bill.

Section 4, by striking out "general" before "election" and inserting "first;" and by striking out "majority" and inserting "highest number." Section 6, by striking out "general" before "laws."

R. P. STEEN, *Minority.*

On motion the report was received.

Mr. Clark moved to adopt the majority report.

Mr. Kincaid moved that councilman Hunter be invited within the bar to explain the bill.

Mr. Preston moved to amend by including in the invita- Messrs. Ostrander, Stiles and Burk.

The Ayes and Noes being called for on amendment resulted:

Ayes—Preston and Warman—2.

Noes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Clark, Cornwall, Dillon, Freeman, Holcomb, Judson, Karr, Kincaid, Kuhn, O'Neil, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor, Van Eaton, Warman and Mr. Speaker—23.

Amendment lost.

Ayes and Noes being called for on original motion resulted

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Dillon, Holcomb, Karr, Kincaid, Kuhn, O'Neil, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Taylor, and Warman—15.

Noes—Messrs. Clark, Cornwall, Freeman, Judson, Preston, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Van Eaton, Mr. Speaker—9.

Motion prevailed.

Mr. Hunter declined saying any thing in regard to the bill but referred the house to the documents on file.

The Ayes and Noes on Mr. Clarks motion to adopt the majority report. Resulted.

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Catlin, Clark, Cornwall, Freeman, Holcomb, Judson, Preston, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Taylor, and Mr. Speaker—12.

Noes—Messrs. Allen, Dillon, Karr, Kincaid, Kuhn, O'Neil Raymond, Rees, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Van Eaton, Warman—12.

Motion lost.

On motion the House adjourned until 2 P. M.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

Speaker in the chair.

At roll call all members answered to their names.

House resumed consideration of

C. B. 123.—An act to organize the county of Garfield.

The bill was read third time.

Mr. Freeman moved to lay the bill on the table.

Ayes and noes being called for resulted as follows:

Ayes—Messrs. Allen, Catlin, Clark, Cornwall, Dillon, Freeman, Holcomb, Judson, O'Neil, Preston, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Taylor—13.

Noes—Messrs. Alexander, Karr, Kincaid, Kuhn, Raymond, Rees, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Van Eaton, Warman and Mr. Speaker—11.

Motion to table carried.

Mr. Warman moved to reconsider the vote by which the House passed

H. B. 164.—An act to establish a uniform system of weights and measures and to create the office of sealer thereof.

Motion carried, and vote reconsidered

And on motion referred to the committee on Counties.

PROPOSITIONS AND MOTIONS.

Mr. Clark introduced,

H. B. 171.—An act in relation to city and county prisoners.

Read first time.

Read the second time by title under suspension of the rules.

Mr. Judson moved to amend by inserting after the word "ground" in Sec. 2 public roads and streets.

The bill as amended was read the third time and then went to vote as follows:

Amendment adopted.

Ayes—Messrs. Allen, Catlin, Clark, Cornwall, Dillon, Freeman, Judson, Karr, Kuhn, O'Neil, Preston, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Taylor, Van Eaton, Warman, Mr. Speaker—

Noes—Mr. Kincaid—1.

Absent—Messrs. Alexander, Holcomb, Raymond, Rees, Steen—5.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

The Clerk was instructed to report the bill to the Council,

Mr. Judson introduced,

H. B. 172.—An act to establish courts in the third judicial districts.

Read first time. Read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

The bill was referred to the committee on Judiciary.

Mr. O'Neil introduced,

H. B. 173.—An act to exempt certain property from taxation.

Read first time.

Read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

And on motion referred to the Committee on Education.

The Ways, Means and Claims committee introduced the following:

H. B. 174.—An act to authorize the county commissioners of Jefferson county to pay rewards offered by the sheriff of said county.

Read first time

Read second time by title, under suspension of the rules.

On motion the bill was tabled

H. B. 175.—An act to repeal an act entitled an act for the relief of Yakima county.

Read first time.

Read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

Read third time under further suspeneion of the rules and

The bill went to vote with he following result:

Ayes—Messrs. Cornwall, Freeman, Judson, Karr, O'Neil,

Preston, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Warman—10.

Noes—Messrr. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Dillon, Kuhn, Steen, Taylor, Van Eaton and Mr. Speaker—9.

Absent—Messrs. Clark, Holcomb, Kincaid, Raymond and Rees—5.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

The Clerk was instructed to report the bill to the Council.

Mr. Preston introduced,

H. J. R. 18.—Instructing committee on Ways, Means and Claims to ascertion the amounts of expenses by the territory in the late Indian outbreak, and report a memorial to Congress to reimburse the territory.

Read first time; read second and third time by title under suspension of the rules.

The memorial then went to vote with the following result:

Ayes—20.

Absent—Messrs. Holcomb, Kuhn, Raymond, Rees—4.

The memorial passed.

The Clerk was instructed to report the to Council now

Report of committee on Enrolled bills

Mr. Speaker—

Your committee on Enrolled bills to whom was referred

H. B. 92.—An act to amend an act entitled an act to provide for the inspection and measurement of logs and the formation of lumber districts, approved Nov. 11, 1879.

H. B. 97.—An act to amend the charter of the city of Goldendale.

H. B. 109.—An act to amend an act entitled an act prohibiting hogs from running at large in the counties of Columbia, Whitman, Stevens, Walla Walla, Yakima, King and Lewis.

H. B. 112.—An act authorizing the county commissioners of Clarke county, W. T., to borrow money to build a court house and jail.

H. B. 113.—An act prohibiting fowls, poultry, such as ducks, chickens, geese, turkeys or other domestic fowls from running at large in Pacific county.

H. B. 137.—An act for the relief of certain clerks and other employees of the present Legislative Assembly

H. B. 104.—An act to amend an act entitled an act regulating salmon fisheries on the Columbia river and its tributaries approved Nov. 14, 1879.

H. B. 157.—An act to incorporporate the city of Waitsburg.

Have compared the same with the original bills and beg leave to report them back as correctly enrolled.

R. R. Rees, *Chairman.*

Speaker gave notice that he was about to sign the above bills.

Message from the Council:

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
Nov., 23 1881.

MR. SPEAKER—

I am instructed by the Council to inform the House that the Council has passed with amendment

H. B. 55.—An act to incorporate the city of Port Townsend.

H. B. 89.—An act to incorporate the City of Spokan Falls.

H. B. 110.—Substitute for

C. B. 54.—An act relating to county auditors.

H. B. 170.—An act offering a bounty for killing wild animals.

And the same is herewith transmitted for your concurrence.

Also.

H. B. 94.—An act appropriating money for a wagon road across the Cascade mountains.

H. B. 111.—An act to change the county line between the counties of Skamania and Klickitat.

H. B. 162.—An act to authorize the formation of limited partnerships.

H. B. 163.—An act to provide for the appointment of Commissioners of deeds and to legalize their acts.

H. M. 20.—Asking for an appropriation to remove obstruction from the Cowlitz river.

H. M. 21.—To establish a mail route from Mukilteo, Snohomish county, to Leyman, Whatcom county, via Port Susan, W. T.

C. M. 21.—Praying an appropriation for wagon road across the Cascade mountains.

C. B. 103.—An act fixing the rate to be paid for public printing and providing for the auditing its accounts of public printing.

C. B. 135.—An act to close business houses and prevent the sale of intoxicating liquors on Sundays.

C. B. 134.—An act in relation to Territorial Treasurer.

C. B. 146.—An act to create a district court for the county of Stevens and defining the jurisdiction thereof.

Herewith transmitted

R. G. O'BRIEN, *Chief Clerk.*

Committee on Counties introduced the following bills:

H. B. 176.—An act regulating the publication of legal notices.

Read first, second, third time by title under suspension of the rules and then went to vote as follows:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Cornwall, Dillon, Freeman, Judson, Karr, Kincaid, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor, Van Eaton, Warman, Clark, Mr. Speaker—22.

Noes—Mr. Kuhn—1.

Absent—Mr. Holcomb—1.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

H. B. 177.—An act relating to the Seal of the Territory.

Read first time.

Read second time by title under suspension of rules.

Read third time by title under further suspension of the rules.

And went to vote with the following result:

Ayes—23.

Absent—Mr. Holcomb—1.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

H. B. 178.—An act in relation to Librarian.

Read first time and also second time by title, under suspension of the rules.

The bill was referred to the committee on Judiciary.

H. B. 179.—An act declaring roads, streets and alleys in towns and cities public highways.

Read first time

Read second and third times by title under suspension of the rules and went to vote with the following result:

Ayes—Messrs. Catlin, Clark, Cornwall, Dillon, Freeman, Judson, Karr, Kincaid, Kuhn, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor, Van Eaton, Warman and Mr. Speaker—21.

Noes—Messrs. Alexander, and Allen—2.

Absent—Mr. Holcomb—1.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

H. B. 180.—An act for the encouragement of mining and manufacturing.

Read first time.

Read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

On motion was referred to the committee on Corporations.

H. B. 181.—An act in relation to the Judges of the District and Probate courts and Justices of the Peace practicing as attorneys at law.

Read first time

Read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

On motion was referred to the committee on Judiciary

H. B. 182.—An act in relation to quartz mining claims.

Read first time

Read second time by title under suspension of the rules

And on motion referred to committee on Mines and Mining

H. B. 183.—An act prescribing prison regulations.

Read first time,

And second time by title under suspension of the rules.

On motion the bill was referred to the Penitentiary

H. B. 184.—An act permitting aliens to acquire, hold and

dispose of real estate, and to build, lease and purchase, railroad trainways and bridges.

Read first time. Read second and third time by title under suspension of the rules.

Then went to vote as follows:

Ayes—Messrs. Catlin, Clark, Cornwall, Dillon, Karr, O'Neil, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor and Mr. Speaker—13.

Noes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Freeman, Kincaid, Kuhn, Preston, Smith of Klickitat, Van Eaton and Warman—9.

Absent—Messrs. Holcomb, Judson—2.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

H. B. 185.—An act to dispose of certain persons held in custody.

Read the first time also the second time by title under suspension of the rules.

And on motion was referred to committee on Hospital for the Insane.

Mr. Smith of Whitman introduced the following

WHEREAS, E. R. Burk, Chief Clerk of this House did furnish the members thereof with a certain amount of postage, and whereas it appears that there is no appropriation to reimburse the said clerk therefore,

Resolved, Taht each member of this House pay to said clerk the amount received by such members in postage.

On motion of Mr. Holcomb the resolution was adopted.

Mr. Judson introduced the following:

That rule 57 be so amended that where 10 A. M. appeared it shall now read 9 A. M.

On motion the report was adopted.

Mr. Freeman objected to the resolution regarding stamps in that he did not get any stamps and wanted the journal to show that he did not draw any stamps.

Mr. Preston moved that the journal be made to show that Mr. Freeman did not draw any stamps.

Mr. Warman moved to include all the members. Lost.

Mr. Kuhn called attention to the fact that he and Steen and several others did not draw any stamps.

Mr. Preston's motion, That the journal be made to show that Mr. Freeman did not draw any stamps, prevailed.

Wherefore it is now here entered that Mr. Freeman did not draw any stamps.

Mr. Holcomb introduced,

H. B. 186.—An act in relation to Landlord and Tenant.

Read first time

And second and third time by title under suspension of the rules.

The bill then went to vote as follows:

Ayes.—Messrs. Alexander, Catlin, Clark, Cornwall, Dillon, Freeman, Holcomb, Judson, Karr, Kincaid, O'Neil, Raymond, Taylor, Warman and Mr. Speaker—15.

Noes—Messrs. Allen, Kuhn, Preston, Rees, Smith of Klickitat, Steen and Van Eaton—7.

Absent—Messrs. Smith of King, Smith of Whitman—2.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

Mr. Holcomb introduced,

H. B. 187.—An act relating to the improvement of tide land.

Read first time. And second time by title under suspension of the rules,

And on motion referred to the committee on Agriculture.

Mr. Rees moved that when the House adjourn it be to 9 A. M. Friday morning.

Motion carried.

Mr. Dillon moved to take from the table

C. B. 123.—An act to organize the county of Garfield.

Upon a call of the House being demanded Messrs. Kincaid, Preston and Smith of Whitman were found absent.

The Sargeant-a-arms brought in the absent members.

Mr. Freeman asked that the bill be allowed to remain on the table until Friday morning to give him time to send a telegram.

The request was granted and the motion to take the bill from the table was withdrawn.

On motion the House adjourned.

GEORGE COMEGYS,
Speaker of the House.

E. R. BURK,
Chief Clerk.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Friday, Nov. 25, 1881.

House called to order by the Speaker.

All the members were present at roll call but Messrs. Raymond and Van Eaton.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

Journal of Wednesday read and approved.

Messrs. Raymond and Van Eaton were granted an indefinite leave of absence on account of sickness in their families.

PROPOSITIONS AND MOTIONS.

Committee on Counties introduced,

H. B. 188.—An act relating to deeds.

Read first time, read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

And on motion was referred to the committee on Judiciary

H. B. 189.—An act regulating the rates of toll for grinding grain.

Read first time.

Read second and third time by title under suspension rules.

And the bill went to vote as follows:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Clark, Corwall, Dillon, Freeman, Holcomb, Judson, Karr, Kincaid, Kuhn, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Taylor, Warman and Mr. Speaker—17.

Noes—Messrs. O'Neil, Preston, Smith of King, Steen—4.

Absent—Mr. Rees—1.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

Mr. Steen introduced

H. B. 190.—An act to prevent the sale of spirituous liquors in less quantities than one quart.

Read first time.

And read second and third time by title under suspension of the rules.

The bill went to vote as follows:

Ayes—Messrs. Clark, Cornwall, Holcomb, O'Neil, Preston, Smith of Klickitat, Steen, Taylor—8.

Noes—Messrs. Alexander, Catlin, Dillon, Freeman, Judson, Karr, Kincaid, Kuhn, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Whitman, Warman and Mr. Speaker—12.

Absent—Mr. Allen—1.

The House refused to pass the bill.

Mr. Smith of Klickitat gave notice that in three days he would introduce a prohibition bill.

Mr. Cornwall introduced

H. B. 191.—An act to prevent the smoking and inhaling of opium.

Read first time.

Read second and third times by title under suspension of the rules.

Mr. Judson in the chair.

The bill went to vote with the following result:

Ayes—21.

No—Mr. Catlin—1.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

Mr. Karr introduced,

H. B. 192.—An act in relation to lands reserved for University purposes.

Read first time and also second time by title under suspension of the rules.

On motion referred to the committee on Judiciary.

Message from the Council:

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
November 25, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER—

I am instructed by the Council to inform the House that the Council has passed

C. B. 148.—An act to provide for the election of the general officers of militia and provide a compensation therefor.

And the same is herewith transmitted, for your action.

R. G. O'BRIEN, *Chief Clerk.*

Mr. Karr introduced,

H. B. 193.—An act in relation the Probate Judge of Chehalis county.

Read first time; read second and third times by title under suspension of the rules

The bill then went to vote as follows:

Ayes—18.

Absent—Messrs. Clark, Kuhn, Rees and Mr. Speaker—4.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

Mr. Kuhn moved to take from the table

H. B. 55.—An act to incorporate the city of Port Townsend.

Returned from the Council with amendment.

Motion carried.

On motion the House concurred in the amendment.

On motion the House took up the following report and bill.

Report of committee on Counties

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Counties to whom was referred.

H. B. 62.—An act to prevent the spreading of contagious and infectious diseases among sheep.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back with recommendation that it pass

T. J. SMITH, *Chairman.*

On motion the substitute was adopted, and

H. B. 195.—Substitute for

H. B. 62.—An act to prevent the spreading of contagious and infectious diseases among sheep.

Read first time.

Read second and third time by title under suspension of the rules.

Mr. Karr offered the following amendment to Sec. 9.

Provided, This act shall not apply to the counties of Pierce, Thurston, Chehalis, Cowlitz, San Juan and King.

Amendment adopted.

The bill as amended then went to vote as follows:

Ayes—Messrs. Allen, Catlin, Clark, Cornwall, Dillon, Judson, Karr, Kincaid, O'Neil, Preston, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor, Warman and Mr. Speaker—16.

Noes—Mr. Holcomb—1.

Absent—Messrs. Alexander, Freeman, Kuhn, Rees, Smith of King—5.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

Message from the Council.

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
November 25, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER—

I am instructed by the Council to inform the House that the President has signed

C. B. 78.—An act for the appointment of an inspector of Coal mines and to provide how coal mines shall be ventilated.

C. B. 140.—An act supplemental to an act entitled an act to amend an act to establish District courts in the First and Second judicial districts, approved Nov. 10, 1881.

C. Substitute for

H. M. 17.—Relative to further appropriation for the Cascade locks.

Herewith transmitted for your signature, Also

H. B. 107.—An act for the relief of L. P. Berry.

H. B. 105.—An act to amend an act entitled an act for the protection of the Joshua Brown school fund.

H. B. 159.—An act to incorporate the city of Waitsburg.

H. B. 137.—An act for the relief of certain clerks and other employees of the present Legislative Assembly

H. B. 113.—An act prohibiting fowls, poultry, such as ducks, chickens, geese, turkeys or other domestic fowls from running at large in Pacific county.

H. B. 112.—An act authorizing the county commissioners of Clarke county, W. T., to borrow money to build a court house and jail.

H. B. 109.—An act to amend an act entitled an act prohibiting hogs from running at large in the counties of Columbia, Whitman, Stevens, Walla Walla, Yakima, King and Lewis.

H. B. 104.—An act to amend an act entitled An act regulating salmon fisheries on the Columbia river and its tributaries approved Nov. 14, 1879.

H. B. 97.—An act to amend an act entitled an act to incorporate the city of Goldendale, approved Nov. 14th, 1879.

H. B. 92.—An act to amend an act entitled an act to provide for the inspection and measurement of logs and the formation of lumber districts, approved Nov. 11, 1879.

Herewith returned.

And that the Council has refused to pass.

H. B. 5.—An act to amend an act entitled an act to establish District Courts in the third Judicial District and fixing the time and place for holding the same. Approved Nov. 14, 1879.

And that the Council has refused to concur in the House amendment to

H. B. 77.—Substitute for

H. B. 7.—An act to appropriate money for the Territorial University

And the same is herewith returned.

R. G. O'BRIEN, *Chief Clerk.*

H. B. 77.—Substitute for

H. B. 7.—An act appropriating money and otherwise providing for the Territorial University,

Was returned from the Council without concurring in House amendment.

Mr. Kuhn moved that the House ask the appointment of a committee of Conference.

The Speaker *Pro tem.* decided the motion out of order.

Mr. Smith of King appealed from the decision of the Speaker.

The Ayes and Noes being called for resulted as follows:

Ayes—Messrs. Catlin, Clark, Cornwall, Dillon, Karr, O'Neil, Preston, Rees, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor, Comegys—13.

Noes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Holcomb, Kincaid, Kuhn, Smith of King—6.

Not voting—Mr. Judson—1.

Absent— Mr. Freeman—1.

The decision of the Speaker was sustained.

Speaker in the chair.

Speaker gave notice of signing

C. substitute for

H. M. 17.—Praying for further appropriations for the Cascade locks

C. B. 78.—An act for the appointment of inspectors of coal mines and to provide how coal mines shall be ventilated.

C. B. 140.—An act supplemental to an act entitled an act to amend an act to establish District Courths in the First and Second Judicial districts, approved Nov. 10, 1881.

On motion the House adjourned.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

House called to order by the Speaker.

All the members present at roll call but Messrs. Raymond, and Van Eaton absent on leave.

Message from the Governor.

EXECUTIVE CHAMBER, Nov. 25, 1881.

To the House of Representatives:

GENTLEMEN:—Six days remain for legislative purposes of the sixty to which your present session is limited by act of Congress, a period of time no longer than will be necessary for the consideration of business now before you and other new matter yet to be presented. The revision and codification of the Territorial laws are not yet fully presented to you by the committee, and time will be required for your final action as well as that of the Governor. The report is far advanced towards completion, and much disadvantage and dis-

appointment will ensue if the work fails of consummation for want of sufficient time for its full consideration. Apprehending the existing condition, soon after my official conferrence with the revision committee, I addressed the President of the United States by the Secretary of the interior, requesting authority to convene you in extra session, if it was found to be necessary.

The Secretary replies to my inquiry, stating the President authorizes you to call an extra session of the Legislature if it be necessary for the purpose of completing the revision of the laws. I convey to your honorable body this information in order that you may indicate time by joint action. Your opinion as to the necessity for an extra session, as proposed.

I am respectfully,

WM. A. NEWELL.

Mr. O'Neil moved to take up

H. B. 89.—An act to incorporate the City of Spokan Falls.

Prevailed.

Was returned from the Council with amendement

On motion the House concurred in the amendment.

PROPOSITIONS AND MOTIONS.

Mr. Holcomb introduced,

H. J. R. 19.—Requesting the Secretary to furnish an itemized bill of Stationery furnished the Legislature.

Read first time. Read second and third time by title under suspension of the rules.

And went to vote as follows:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Cornwall, Dillon, Freeman, Holcomb, Judson, O'Neil, Preston, Taylor and Mr. Speaker—11.

Noes—Messrs. Karr, Kuhn, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Steen and Warman—8.

Absent—Messrs. Allen, Clark, Kincaid—3.

Resolution passed.

The Clerk was instructed to report to the Council all bills heretofore passed.

Mr. Kuhn introduced

H. B. 194.—An act to amend an act relating to Justices of the Peace and to their practice and jurisdiction.

Read first time

Read second and third time by title under suspension rules.

Then went to vote as follows:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Cornwall, Kuhn, Preston—5.

Noes—Messrs. Catlin, Dillon, Freeman, Judson, Karr, Kincaid, O'Neil, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor, Warman and Mr. Speaker—15.

Absent—Messrs. Clark, Holcomb—2.

The House refused to pass the bill.

Mr. Cornwall introduced,

H. B. 196.—An act to amend an act in relation to licences approved Nov. 13, 1873.

Read first time.

And read second and third time by title under suspension of the rules.

Mr. Kuhn moved to indefinitely postpone the bill

The Ayes and Noes being called for resulted as follows:

Ayes.—Messrs. Alexander, Catlin, Clark, Dillon, Judson, Karr, Kincaid, Kuhn, O'Neil, Smith of King, Warman—12.

Noes—Messrs. Cornwall, Freeman, Holcomb, Preston, Rees, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor, and Mr. Speaker—10.

The bill was indefinitely postponed,

Mr. Preston presented a resolution in relation to the Territorial University

Laid on the table subject to the order of the House.

Mr. Kuhn in the chair,

Mr. Kuhn introduced,

H. J. R. 20.—Relative to an extra session of the Legislature.

Read first time.

Read second and third times by title under suspension of the rules.

And went to vote with the following result:

Ayes—20.

Absent—Messrs. Freeman and Kincaid—2.

Resolution passed.

ENGROSSED BILLS READ THIRD TIME.

Report of committee on Engrossed bills,

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Engrossed bills to whom was referred

H. B. 102.—An act to provide a system of common schools,

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back correctly engrossed. R. P. STEEN, *Chairman.*

Bill read third time by title and went to vote as follows:

Ayes—19.

Absent—Messrs. Freeman, Kuhn, Smith of Whitman—3.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

BILLS, REPORTS AND OTHER BUSINESS LYING ON THE TABLE.

Report of committee on Ways, Means and Claims.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your committee on Ways, Means and Claims to whom was referred

C. B. 121.—An act for the relief of B. S. Miller.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back with the recommendation that it do pass with the following amendment

That $500.50 be made to read 201.

And we herewith report a bill authorizing Jefferson county to pay reward offered by said Miller for the capture of Henry Marsey.

W. G. PRESTON, *Chairman.*

On motion the report was adopted.

The bill as amended was read the third time and then went to vote as follows:

Unanimous ayes.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

H. B. 171.—An act in relation to city and county prisoners.

Was taken from the table and read the third time

And went to vote as follows:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Cornwall, Dillon, Holcomb, Karr, Kincaid, O'Neil, Preston, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor, Warman and Mr. Speaker—18.

Noes—Mr. Kuhn—1.

Absent—Messrs. Clark, Freeman, Judson—3.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

Report of committee on Penitentiary

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Penitentiary

Beg leave to report that we last week visited the prison of Seatco; that we found in all 53 persons confined therein, the general health of the prisoners good and the prison kept in a cleanly manner. The prisoners are clothed in cotton underwear, overalls and jumpers suitable only for summer. Their beds are comfortable straw ticks each supplied with one sheet and two pairs of blankets, and they are apparently well supplied with healthful food.

Upon examining the contract between the Territory and the contractor, we find that the contractor is virtually compelled to use the kind of shackles now in use at the institution. The Territory having ceded to him the right to use and manufacture these shackles during the period of his contract. These shackles are rivited upon the prisoner when he enters the prison and are only removed at long intervals. We found some of the prisoners suffering from swolen, bruised and inflamed limbs, caused by the perpetual wearing of these shackles; and complaining of spinal bone and rheumatic troubles induced thereby. We believe that common humanity demands that the use of these shackles should be discontinued, and that the bill now before this House should pass, providing for an appropriation for the purchase of a shackle that can be conveniently removed at the discretion of the keepers.

We would recommend that all prisoners who are compelled to perform outdoor labor during the winter months should

be provided with two suits of woolen underwear; also that the Board of Prison Commissioners should provide a bill of fare for the prisoners stating at what times they shall be provided with vegetables and fresh meats. Also, that a dispensary in which a supply of medicines such as may be required for use in case of an emergency should be kept in the prison.

Our attention has been called by letter from what we deem reliable authority that underclothing has been sent by relatives to one of the prisoners and the clothing has been kept from said prisoner by official authority and we believe this case is one deserving of investigation by the Board of Penitentiary Commisaioners.

Respectfully submitted,

WATSON ALLEN, *Chairman.*

Report of committee on Penitentiary.

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Penitentiary to whom was referred

C. B. 101.—An act to authorize the Governor of W. T. to purchase an improved shackle for the Territorial Penitentiary.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back with recommendation that it do pass.

WATSON ALLEN, *Chairman.*

The bill was read the third time and went to vote with the following result:

Ayes—Messrs. Allen, Catlin, Clark, Cornwall, Dillon, Holcomb, Karr, Kincaid, O'Neil, Preston, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor, Warman and Mr. Speaker—18.

Noes—Messrs. Alexander, Freeman, Judson, Kuhn—4.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

Mr. Judson moved to amend the title to read: An act to turn the Territorial convicts at large under color of a new shackle.

Motion lost.

Report of committee on Penitentiary.

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Penitentiary to whom was referred

C. B. 72.—An act for the benefit of Territorial convicts.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back and recommend that it do pass.

WATSON ALLEN, *Chairman.*

Bill read the third time and went to vote as follows:

Ayes—Messrs. Allen, Clark, Cornwall, Karr, Kincaid, Preston, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Taylor, and Warman—11.

Noes—Messrs. Alexander, Catlin, Dillon, Freeman, Holcomb, Judson, Kuhn, O'Neil, Smith of Whitman, Steen and Mr. Speaker—11.

The House refused to pass the bill.

Mr. Holcomb moved to reconsider the vote by which the House refused to pass the bill.

Mr. Comegys moved to lay the motion on the table.

The Speaker *pro tem.* ruled the motion to lay the motion on the table out of order.

Mr. Smith of Whitman appealed from the decision of the Speaker.

Ayes and noes being called for resulted as follows:

Ayes—Messrs. Allen, Catlin, Clark, Cornwall, Dillon, Holcomb, Judson, Kincaid, O'Neil, Preston, Rees, Smith of Klickitat, Steen, Taylor, Warman—15.

Noes—Messrs. Alexander, Freeman, Karr, Smith of King, Smith of Whitman, Comegys—6.

Not voting—Mr. Kuhn—1.

The chair was sustained.

The motion to reconsider, prevailed.

A motion to indefinitely postpone was lost.

A motion to strike "100" out of Section 2

Was lost.

The Speaker resumed the chair.

A motion to adjourn was lost.

Mr Preston moved the following amendment to section 3:

"Nothing in this act shall be so construed as to exclude ministers of any denomination from gratuitous religious or moral instruction to the prisoners."

Amendment adopted.

Mr. Smith of Whitman moved to strike out "once" in the same section and insert "twice."

Amendment adopted.

The bill then went to vote as follows:

Ayes—Messrs. Allen, Clark, Cornwall, Dillon, Holcomb, Karr, Kincaid, O'Neil, Preston, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Steen, Taylor, Warman—15.

Noes—Messrs. Alexander, Catlin, Freeman, Judson, Kuhn, Smith of Whitman and Mr. Speaker—7.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

On motion the House adjourned.

GEORGE COMEGYS,
Speaker of the House.

E. R. BURK,
Chief Clerk.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Saturday, Nov. 26, 1881.

House called to order by the Speaker.

All the members were present at roll call but Messrs. Raymond, Van Eaton and Smith of King, absent on leave.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

Journal of Wednesday read and approved.

Mr. Smith of King was granted leave of absence until Monday.

The Speaker appointed Messrs. Kuhn, Rees, Judson joint committee on the part of the House on

H. J. R. 20.—Relative to an extra session of the Legislature.

Mr. Kuhn moved to take from the table the following House bills returned from the Council amended.

H. B. 110.—Substitute for

C. B. 54.—An act relating to county auditors.

H. B. 115.—An act to regulate the descent of real estate and personal property.

H. B. 170.—An act offering a bounty for killing wild animals.

Motion carried.

On motion the House concurred in the amendments to the above bills.

Report of committee on Penitentiary

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Penitentiary to whom was referred

C. B. 94.—An act authorizing the Gov. to grant a rebate to Territorial Convicts, for uniform good conduct.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back with recommendation that it do pass with an amendment of Sec. 2.

WATSON ALLEN, *Chairman.*

On motion the report was adopted.

Mr. Preston moved to amend Sec. 1 by striking out the words, "and it shall be his duty to"

Amendment adopted.

The bill read third time and went to vote as follows: ing result:

Ayes—Messrs. Allen, Clark, Cornwall, Dillon, Holcomb, Kincaid, O'Neil, Preston, Rees, Smith of Klickitat—10.

Noes—Messrs. Alexander, Catlin, Freeman, Judson, Karr, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor, Warman and Comegys—11.

The House refused to pass the bill.

Message from the Council:

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
Nov. 25, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER—

I am instructed by the Council to inform the House that the President has signed

C. B. 107.—An act to provide for the transportation of insane persons to asylum and provide the compensation thereof.

C. B. 124.—An act for the relief of certain Counties.

C. B. 111.—An act to provide for suitable desks and furniture for the office of Territorial Auditor.

Herewith transmitted for your signature,

And the Council has passed.

C. J. R. 3.—Relative to new business.

And the same is herewith transmitted for your action.

Also the Council request a committee of Conference of 3 on the part of the House to act with a committee of 2 on part of the Council on

H. B. 77.—An act appropriating money and otherwise providing for the Territorial University,

R. G. O'BRIEN, *Chief Clerk.*

Message from the Council:

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
November 26, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER—

I am instructed by the Council to inform the House that the Council has passed

C. B. 104.—An act in relation to Foreign Corporations.

H. J. R. 20.—Relative to an extra session of the Legislature.

And names of committee on part of the Council, Messrs. Sharpstein, Evans and Long.

And refuse to concur in House amendments to

C. B. 121.—An act for the relief of B. S. Miller.

And ask for a Conference committee naming Messrs. Sharpstein, Wallace as such committee on part of the Council.

R. G. O'BRIEN, *Chief Clerk.*

On leave Mr. Kuhn introduced,

H. J. R. 21.—In regard to the use of the furniture &c.

Read first time

And second time by title under suspension of rules.

The bill was referred to the committee on Penitentiary

Report of committee on Agriculture

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Agriculture to whom was referred

The communication on the resources of Oregon and Washington.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back with a Joint Resolution and recommend that it do pass.

A. VAN EATON, *Chairman.*

H. J. R. 22.—Endorsing the magazine entitled "Resources of Oregon and Washington."

Read first and second times.

On leave Mr. Kuhn introduced,

H. B. 197.—An act to establish pilots and pilot regulations for Juan de Fuca straits and waters pertaining thereto.

Read first time and also second time by title, under suspension of the rules.

And on motion referred to the committee on Commerce and Fisheries.

On leave Mr. Taylor introduced

H. B. 198.—An act to amend an act in relation to Sheriffs of certain counties.

Read first time.

Read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

And on motion referred to the committee on Counties.

Report of committee on Counties.

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Counties to whom was referred

H. B. 168.—An act in relation to relocation of the county seat of Spokan county, W. T.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back and recommend that it do pass.

T. J. SMITH, *Chairman.*

The bill read third time went to vote with the following result:

Ayes—Messrs. Allen, Catlin, Cornwall, Dillon, Freeman, Holcomb, Judson, Karr, Kincaid, O'Neil, Preston, Rees, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor, Warman, Mr. Speaker—18.

Absent—Messrs. Alexander, Clark, Kuhn—3.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

Report of committee on Counties to whom was referred

H. B. 161.—An act in relation to the location of the county seat of Yakima county.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back with the recommendation that it do pass.

T. J. SMITH, *Chairman.*

Bill read third time by title and went to vote as follows:

Ayes.—Messrs. Holcomb, Kincaid, Kuhn, Preston, Smith of Whitman, Steen and Mr. Speaker—7.

Noes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Clark, Cornwall, Dillon, Freeman, Judson, Karr, O'Neil, Rees, Smith of Klickitat, Taylor, Warman—14.

House refused to pass the bill.

The Speaker appointed Messrs. Warman and Catlin joint committee of Conference on the part of the House.

C. B. 121.—An act for the relief of B. S. Miller.

The Speaker signed

C. B. 107.—An act to provide for the transportation of insane persons to the asylum and provide the compensation thereof.

C. B. 111.—An act to provide for the purchase of suitable desks and furniture for the office of Territorial Auditor,

C. B. 124.—An act for the relief of certain counties.

On motion the House adjourned till 2 P. M.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

House called to order by the Speaker.

All the members present at roll call but Messrs. Raymond, Smith of King, and Van Eaton absent on leave.

Committee on counties report back with amendments

H. B. 166.—An act to validate certain contracts made in regard to logs.

On motion referred to the committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Rees in the chair.

Mr. Preston introduced,

H. J. R. 23.—Relative to the examination of the books and account of the Territorial auditor and treasurer.

Read first time

Read second and third time by title under suspension of the rules and then went to vote as follows:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Catlin, Cornwall, Dillon, Freeman, Holcomb, Judson, Karr, Kincaid, Kuhn, O'Neil, Preston, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor, Warman, Mr. Speaker—19.

Absent—Messrs. Allen, Clark—2.

Resolution passed.

The Clerk was instructed to report the bill to the Council.

Message from the Governor.

EXECUTIVE CHAMBER, Nov. 26, 1881.

To the Legislative Assembly.

I have this day signed the following:

H. B. 107.—An act for the relief of L. P. Berry, Sergeant-at-arms.

H. B. 104.—An act to amend an act entitled An act regulating salmon fisheries on the Columbia river and its tributaries approved Nov. 14, 1879.

H. B. 112.—An act authorizing the county commissioners of Clarke county, W. T., to borrow money to build a court house and jail.

H. B. 92.—An act to amend an act entitled an act to provide for the inspection and measurement of logs and the formation of lumber districts, approved Nov. 11, 1879.

H. B. 109.—An act to amend an act entitled an act prohibiting hogs from running at large in the counties of Columbia, Whitman, Stevens, Walla Walla, Yakima, King and Lewis.

H. B. 105.—An act to amend an act entitled an act for the protection of the Joshua Brown school fund.

H. B. 113.—An act prohibiting fowls, poultry, such as ducks, chickens, geese, turkeys or other domestic fowls from running at large in Pacific county.

H. B. 137.—An act for the relief of certain clerks and other employees of the present Legislative Assembly

H. B. 97.—An act to amend the charter of the city of Goldendale.

I am respectfully,

WM. A. NEWELL.
Governor.

Report of committee on Counties

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Counties to whom was referred.

C. B. 119.—An act for the preservation of game and to prohibit shooting and hunting on enclosures, without permission of the owners thereof.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back without recommendation

T. J. SMITH, *Chairman.*

The bill was read the third time.

A motion to indefinitely postponed went to vote as follows.

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Cornwall, Dillon, Holcomb, Kincaid, Kuhn, O'Neil, Preston, Rees, Steen, Taylor—12.

Noes—Messrs. Catlin, Freeman, Karr, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Warman, Mr. Speaker—7.

Absent—Messrs. Clark and Judson—2.

The bill was indefinitely postponed,

Report of Committee on Judiciary,

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Judiciary to whom was referred

C. B. 134.—An act in relation to certain witnesses.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back with recommendation that it do pass.

J. A. KUHN, *Chairman.*

The bill was read third time and went to vote as follows:

Ayes—Messrs. Allen, Cornwall, Dillon, Holcomb, Karr, Kuhn, O'Neil, Rees—8.

Noes—Messrs. Alexander, Catlin, Freeman, Judson, Kincaid, Preston, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor, Warman and Mr. Speaker—12.

Absent—Mr. Clark—1.

The House refused to pass the bill.

Report of committee on the Hospital for the Insane

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Hospital for the Insane to whom was referred

H. B 84.—An act to regulate the government of the Hospital for the Insane.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back with amendment and recommend its passage as amended

L. P. SMITH, *Chairman.*

On motion the report of the committee was adopted.

The bill as amended was read the third time by title.

The bill then went to vote as follows:

Ayes—Messrs. Allen, Catlin, Cornwall, Dillon, Freeman, Judson, Karr, O'Neil, Preston, Rees, Smith of Klickitat, Taylor, Warman and Mr. Speaker—14.

Noes—Messrs. Kuhn, Smith of Whitman, Steen—3.

Absent—Messrs. Alexander, Clark, Holcomb, Kincaid—4.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

Report of committee on Education

MR. SPEAKER—

Your Committee on Education to whom was referred

Substitute for

C. B. 15.—An act to provide for the education of deaf mutes

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back with the recommendation that it do pass with the following amendment, viz.

Insert after the word "year" in the seventh line of section two "or at that rate for the time that he or she attends said school."

J. A. KUHN, *Chairman.*

On motion of Mr. Preston the preamble was stricken out of the bill.

Section 1 was amended by striking out the words "above named" and inserting "Oregon school for deaf mutes."

The bill as amended was read the third time and then went to vote as follows:

Ayes—Messrs. Catlin, Cornwall, Dillon, Freeman, Judson, Karr, Kincaid, O'Neil, Preston, Rees, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor, Warman—15.

Noes—Messrs. Allen, Holcomb and Mr. Speaker—3.

Absent— Messrs. Alexander, Clark, Kuhn—3.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

Mr. Kincaid moved to reconsider the vote by which the House refused, yesterday, to pass.

H. B. 194.—An act to amend an act relating to Justices of the Peace and to their practice and jurisdiction.

Motion carried.

And the bill was referred to the committee on Corporations.

Mr. Judson moved to take up

H. B. 68.—An act to provide for the assessing and collecting of county and territorial revenue.

Returned from the Council with amendment.

Motion lost.

Report of committee on Ways, Means and Claims.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your committee on Ways, Means and Claims to whom was referred

C. B. 142.—An act for the relief of Lewis McMillan with accompanying vouchers.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back with recommendation that it pass

W. G. PRESTON, *Chairman.*

The bill was read the third time and went to vote with the following result:

Ayes—Messrs. Allen, Cornwall, Dillon, Karr, Preston, Smith of Klickitat, Warman and Mr. Speaker—8.

Noes—Messrs. Freeman, Holcomb, Judson, Kincaid, Kuhn, Rees, Steen, Taylor—8.

Absent—Messrs. Alexander, Catlin, Clark, O'Neil, Smith of Whitman—5.

House refused to pass the bill.

Mr. Kuhn moved to reconsider the vote.

Motion carried.

And the bill re-referred to the same committee.

Mr. Comegys moved to reconsider the vote by which the House refused to pass

C. B. 94.—An act authorizing the Governor to grant a rebate to Territorial convicts for uniform good conduct.

Motion carried.

On motion of Mr. Preston,

The bill was referred to Mr. Smith of Whitman to report a substitute in the form of a resolution.

Message from the Council:

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
Nov., 26 1881.

MR. SPEAKER—

I am instructed by the Council to inform the House that the Council has passed with amendment

H. B. 68.—An act to provide for the assessing and collecting of county and territorial revenue

H. B. 116.—An act in relation to graded schools in incorporated cities and towns.

Herewith transmitted, for your concurrence in the same;

Also

H. B. 175.—An act to repeal an act entitled an act for the relief of Yakima county.

H. B. 179.—An act declaring roads, streets and alleys in towns and cities public highways.

H. B. 176.—An act regulating the publication of legal notices.

H. B. 177.—An act relating to the Seal of the Territory.

H. B. 184.—An act permitting aliens to acquire, hold and dispose of real estate, and to build, lease and purchase, railroad trainways and bridges.

H. B. 189.—An act regulating the rates of toll for grinding grain.

H. B. 191.—An act to prevent the smoking and inhaling of opium.

H. B. 193.—An act in relation the Probate Judge of Chehalis county.

H. B. 195.—Substitute for

H. B. 62.—An act to prevent the spreading of contagious and infectious diseases among sheep.

H. J. R. 18.—Instructing committee on Ways, Means and Claims to ascertion the amounts of expenses by the territory in the late Indian outbreak, and report a memorial to Congress to reimburse the territory.

H. B. 83.—An act prohibiting the owners of hogs from permitting to same to run at large on Fidelgo Island, Whatcom county.

C. B. 154.—An act for the regulation of Telegraphs and to secrecy and fidelity in the transmission of telegraphs messages.

C. B. 156.—An act for the recovery of damages for injuries caused by the sale of intoxicating liquors.

C. B. 150.—An act to repeal an act entitled an act to enforce judgments upon contracts according to their true intent and meaning, approved Nov. 23, 1869.

C. B. 151.—An act concerning proclamations issued by the Governor.

All of which are herewith transmitted for your action, and that the Council has refused to pass.

H. J. R. 19.—Requesting the Secretary to furnish an itemized bill of Stationery furnished the Legislature.

R. G. O'BRIEN, *Chief Clerk.*

Report of committee on Privileges and Elections.

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Privileges and Elections to whom was referred

H. B. 108.—An act to prevent bribery in elections.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back and recommend that it do pass.

J. A. KARR, *Chairman.*

On motion the bill was laid on the table subject to the call of the House.

Report of the committee on Ways, Means and Claims

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Way, Means and Claims to whom was referred

H. B. 136.—An act for the relief of Yakima county.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back and recommend that it do pass.

W. G. PRESTON, *Chairman.*

Bill read the third time and went to vote as follows:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Clark, Cornwall, Dillon, Judson, Karr, Kincaid, O'Neil, Preston, Rees, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor, Warman and Mr. Speaker—18.

Noes—Messrs. Freeman, Kuhn—2.

Absent—Mr. Holcomb—1.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

Report of Special committee.

MR. SPEAKER—

Your Special committee to whom was referred

H. B. 66.—An act to review and survey a Territorial road in Thurston and Chehalis counties.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back by substitute and recommend that it do pass.

A. VAN EATON, *Chairman.*

On motion the report was adopted.

H. B, 200.—Substitute for

H. B. 66.—An act to review and survey a Territorial road in Thurston and Chehalis counties.

Read first time.

Read second and third times by title under suspension of the rules.

After considerable discussion and the offering of an amendment, Mr. Comegys moved the previous question, which was carried.

The resolution then went to vote as follows:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Dillon, Freeman, Judson, Karr, Kincaid, Preston, Rees, Smith of Klickitat, Steen, Warman and Mr. Speaker—14.

Noes—Messrs. Clark, Cornwall, Holcomb, Kuhn, Smith of Whitman, Taylor—6.

Absent—Mr. O'Neil—1.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

The special committee on Hospital for the Insane presented a report, which was read and adopted.

On motion the House adjourned.

GEORGE COMEGYS,
Speaker of the House.

E. R. BURK,
Chief Clerk.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Monday, Nov. 28, 1881.

House called to order by the Speaker.

All the members were present at roll call but Messrs. Raymond, Smith of King and Warman absent on leave.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

Journal of Saturday read and approved.

On motion of Mr. O'Neil,

The House took up

C. J. R. 23.—Relative to new business.

Read first time. Read second and third time by title under suspension of the rules.

The bill went to vote as follows:

Ayes—Messrs. Catlin, Clark, Cornwall, Dillon, Freeman,

Judson, Karr, Kincaid, O'Neil, Rees, Smith of Whitman, Van Eaton and Mr. Speaker—13.

Noes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Kuhn, Preston, Smith of Klickitat, Taylor and Warman—7.

Absent—Messrs. Holcomb, Steen—2.

Resolution passed.

Report of committee on Enrolled bills

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Enrolled bills to whom was referred

H. B. 55.—An act to incorporate the city of Port Townsend.

H. B. 111.—An act to change the county line between the counties of Skamania and Klickitat.

H. B. 124.—An act to create and regulate the office of county Surveyor.

H. B. 119.—An act relating to estrays.

H. B. 120.—An act to provide for the election of county commissioners and defining their duties.

H. B. 118.—An act in relation to mortgages on certain kinds of property.

H. B. 127.—An act to create and regulate the office of sheriff.

H. B. 126.—An act to protect the inmates of the insane asylum.

H. B. 123.—An act in relation to constables

H. B. 157.—An act in relation to bills of exchange and promissory notes.

H. B. 122.—An act for the protection of stock raisers.

H. B. 163.—An act to provide for the appointment of Commissioners of deeds and to legalize their acts.

H. B. 121.—An act regulating the support of the poor.

H. J. R. 20.—Relative to an extra session of the Legislature.

H. M. 20.—Asking for an appropriation to remove obstruction from the Cowlitz river.

H. M. 21.—To establish a mail route from Mukilteo, Snohomish county, to Leyman, Whatcom county, via Port Susan, W. T.

Beg leave to report that they have compared the same and find them correctly enrolled.

R. R. REES, *Chairman.*

Mr. Allen moved a conference committee be appointed on

Motion lost by vote of 9 ayes and 12 noes.

H. B. 77.—Substitute for

H. B. 7.—An act to appropriate money for the Territorial University

Mr. Clark moved to take up

C. B. 123.—An act to organize the county of Garfield.

Motion carried.

Mr. Clark asked leave to introduce a substitute for the bill.

H. B. 201.—Substitute for

C. B. 123.—An act to organize the county of Garfield.

Read first time; read second and third times by title under suspension of the rules

Mr. Steen moved to strike out "one thousand dollars" where it appeared.

Motion lost.

Mr. Van Eaton moved to strike out "1,000" and insert "500"

Motion lost.

And the bill went to vote as follows:

Ayes.—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Clark, Cornwall, Dillon, Holcomb, Judson, Karr, Kincaid, Kuhn, O'Neil, Preston, Rees, Smith of Klickitat, Taylor, Warman—17.

Noes—Messrs. Freeman, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Van Eaton and Mr. Speaker—5.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

The Clerk was instructed to report to the Council now

Report of committee on Counties

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Counties to whom was referred

C. B. 83.—An act in relation to taking up of saw logs and other timber of value in Snake river.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back with the following amendment:

Strike out all of the first section after the word "driving" in the 15th line.

T. J. SMITH, *Chairman.*

On motion the report was adopted.

The bill as amended was read the third time by title.

The bill then went to vote as follows:

Ayes—Messrs. Allen, Catlin, Cornwall, Dillon, Karr, Kincaid, O'Neil, Preston, Rees, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor, Van Eaton, Warman, Alexander and Mr. Speaker—17.

Absent—Messrs. Clark, Freeman, Holcomb, Judson and Kuhn—5.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

Message from the Council.

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
Nov. 28, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER—

I am instructed by the Council to inform the House that the Council has unanimously requested the return of

C. B. 90.—An act to fix the number of members of the Legislative Assembly and apportion the same.

Also that the President has signed

C. B. 59.—An act to incorporate the city of Colfax.

C. B. 81.—An act relating to Liens

Herewith transmitted for your signature,

R. G. O'BRIEN, *Chief Clerk.*

Speaker gave notice that he was about to sign the above bills.

On motion the House returned to the Council as requested the apportionment bill.

On motion of Mr. Judson

The House took from the table.

H. B. 68.—An act to provide for the assessing and collecting of county and territorial revenue

Returned amended.

House concurred in all the amendments but the following: amendment to section 1 striking out section 30 and 37. Striking out "road poll tax" at $4 in Sec. 41; 5 instead of 10 in Sec. 49; in Sec. 60; fifth line, 4 changed to 5, seventh line "and bridges" added. Chapter 8, Sec. 135, line, 2 and 3; Sec. 136 in lines 2 and 4. Sec. 156 line 2; Striking out sections 168 and 169. Section 164 adding new line "and bridges".

Clerk was requested to report the action of the House to the Council and ask for a committee of Conference.

House adjourned until 2 P. M.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

House called to order by the Speaker.

All the members present at roll call but Messrs. Raymond and Smith of King absent on leave.

Mr. Clark called up

H. B. 202.—An act in relation to compensation of certain officers of Garfield county.

Read first time.

Read second and third time by title under suspension of the rules.

And went to vote as follows:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Clark, Cornwall, Dillon, Freeman, Holcomb, Judson, Karr, Kincaid, Kuhn, O'Neil, Preston, Rees, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor, Van Eaton, Warman and Mr. Speaker—22.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

The Clerk was instructed to report the bill to Council now.

Report of committee on Counties

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Counties to whom was referred.

H. B. 198.—An act in relation to mileage of Sheriff in certain counties.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back and recommend that the words "and Whatcom" be annexed to section 1 and that it do pass.

T. J. SMITH, *Chairman.*

On motion the report was adopted.

The bill read third time went to vote with the following result:

Ayes—Messrs. Catlin, Cornwall, Dillon, Holcomb, Judson, Karr, Kincaid, O'Neil, Preston, Rees, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Taylor, Van Eaton, Warman and Mr. Speaker—16.

Noes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Kuhn—3.

Absent—Messrs. Clark, Freeman, Steen—3.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

Report of Committee on Judiciary.

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Judiciary to whom was referred

H. B. 192.—An act in relation to lands reserved for University purposes.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back and recommeed the following amendment:

Strike out "Daniel Bagley" in the bill and the word "two" in line 1, section 3, and insert "one" in lieu thereof.

J. A. KUHN, *Chairman.*

On motion the report was adopted.

Bill read the third time and went to vote as follows:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Clark, Cornwall, Dillon, Judson, Karr, Kincaid, O'Neil, Rees, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Taylor, Van Eaton, Warman and Comegys—15.

Noes—Messrs. Catlin, Freeman—2.

Absent—Messrs. Allen, Holcomb, Preston, Steen, Kuhn—5.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

Message from the Council.

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
November 28, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER—

I am instructed by the Council to inform the House that the President has signed

C. B. 72.—An act for the benefit of Territorial convicts.

C. B. 101.—An act to authorize the Governor of W. T. to purchase an improved shackle for the Territorial Penitentiary.

Transmitted for your signature and has passed

C. B. 159.—An act extending the time within which the taxes for the year 1881 may be paid.

C. B. 163.—An act to authorize the city of Dayton to audit and pay certain claims.

Herewith transmitted for your action

And that the President has signed

C. B. 116.—An act relative to crimes and punishment and proceedings in criminal cases.

Herewith transmitted for your signature

And the Council has passed.

C. B. 160.—An act providing for the holding of special terms of court.

Herewith transmitted.

Also

H. B. 201.—Substitute for

C. B. 123.—An act to organize the county of Garfield.

And the same is herewith returned.

R. G. O'BRIEN, *Chief Clerk.*

Report of Special committee

MR. SPEAKER—

Your Special committee to whom was referred

C. B. 94.—An act authorizing the Gov. to grant a rebate to Territorial Convicts, for uniform good conduct.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back with the following substitute.

T. J. SMITH, *Chairman.*

H. J. R. 24.—Substitute for

C. B. 94.—An act authorizing the Governor to grant a rebate to Territorial convicts for uniform good conduct.

Read first time

Read second and third times by title under suspension of the rules and went to vote with the following result:

Ayes—Messrs. Catlin, Clark, Cornwall, Judson, Karr, Kincaid, O'Neil, Rees, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Taylor, Van Eaton, Warman and Mr. Speaker—14.

Noes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Dillon, Freeman—4.

Absent—Messrs. Holcomb, Kuhn, Preston, Steen—4.

Resolution passed.

Message from the Council:

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
Nov. 28, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER—

I am instructed by the Council to inform the House that the Council has appointed as a committee of conference on

H. B. 68.—An act to provide for the assessing and collecting of county and territorial revenue.

Messrs. Stratton and Sharpstein.

And that the President has signed

H. B. 55.—An act to incorporate the city of Port Townsend.

Herewith returned.

R. G. O'BRIEN, *Chief Clerk.*

Messrs. Comegys, Judson and Kuhn were appointed conference committee on the part of the House on the Revenue Bill.

Messrs. Raymond and Smith of King appeared in the House and took their seats.

Report of committee on Judiciary

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Judiciary to whom was referred

H. B. 167.—An act to regulate suits for divorce and alimony

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back and recommend that it do pass.

J. A. KUHN, *Chairman.*

The bill was read third time and went to vote as follows:

Ayes.—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Clark, Cornwall, Dillon, Freeman, Judson, Karr, Kincaid, Kuhn, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Taylor, Van Eaton, Warman and Mr. Speaker—22.

No—Mr. Holcomb—1.

Absent—Mr. Steen—1.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

The Clerk was instructed to report all business passed to the Council

Message from the Council:

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
November 28, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER—

I am instructed by the Council to inform the House that the Council has passed

H. B. 49.—An act for the relief of the chief clerks

Herewith returned.

C. B. 127.—An act to incorporate the city of Olympia.

Transmitted herewith and have passed with amendment.

H. B. 171.—An act in relation to city and county prisoners.

Herewith transmitted, for your concurrence in the same,

R. G. O'BRIEN, *Chief Clerk.*

Report of committee on Judiciary

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Judiciary to whom was referred

H. B. 172.—An act to establish courts in the third judicial districts.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back and recommend that it do pass.

J. A. KUHN, *Chairman.*

The bill was read third time.

Mr. Kincaid moved to strike out of the bill that part referring to the removal of the U. S. Courts from Tacoma to New Tacoma.

Amendment adopted.

Ayes, 15; noes, 5.

The bill then went to vote as follows:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Cornwall, Dillon, Freeman, Judson, Karr, Kincaid, Kuhn, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King Smith of Klickitat, Taylor, Van Eaton, Warman, and Mr. Speaker—21.

No—Mr. Holcomb—1.

Absent—Messrs. Clark, Steen—2.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

Message from the Council:

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
Nov. 28, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER—

I am instructed by the Council to inform the House that the Council has passed

H. B. 42.—An act for the better preservation of the records of the Supreme court of Washington Territory.

H. B. 44.—An act providing for the payment of repairs and storage on Territorial property in the custody of the quarter master general.

H. B. 135.—An act to reimburse Yakima county.

C. Substitute for

C. B. 90.—An act to fix the number of members of the Legislative Assembly and apportion the same.

C. B. 147.—An act to repeal an act to amend an act to appriate one-half of the Territorial tax of Snohomish county for 1880 for the purpose of building a Territorial road therein approved Nov. 21, 1881.

C. B. 143.—An act to provide for payment of statutes furnished the executive office and code commission.

Herewith transmitted also with amendment

H. B. 169.—An act to regulate and authorize the erection of wharves.

Herewith returned for your concurrence,

R. G. O'BRIEN, *Chief Clerk.*

This being the last day under the joint resolution passed for the introduction of new bills,

Leave was given to introduce them now.

The bills were read by title and tabled unti to-morrow for action.

Mr. Allen introduced a bill appropriating money for edutional purposes and repairs of Territorial buildings.

The Speaker decided under the joint rules that the bill could not be introduced without first giving five days' notice.

Mr. Kuhn appealed from the rulings of the Speaker.

The Ayes and Noes being called for resulted as follows:

Ayes—Messrs. Catlin, Cornwall, Dillon, Freeman, Judson, Karr, O'Neil, Preston, Rees, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Taylor, Van Eaton, Warman—14.

Noes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Clark, Holcomb, Kincaid, Kuhn, Raymond, Smith of King—8.

Not voting—Mr. Speaker—1.

Absent—Mr. Steen—1.

Ruling of the Speaker was sustained.

A message was received from the Governor calling a special session of the Legislature.

On motion it was referred to the Committee on Printing with instructions to print.

On leave the following report was presented and read:

Report of the committee on Enrolled bills.

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Enrolled bills to whom was referred

H. B. 16.—An act relating to elections and the mode of supplying vacancies.

H. B. 89.—An act to incorporate the City of Spokan Falls.

H. B. 94.—An act appropriating money for a wagon road across the Cascade mountains.

H. B. 201.—Substitute for

C. B. 123.—An act to organize the county of Garfield.

Have compared the same and find them correctly enrolled.

R. R. REES, *Chairman.*

Speaker gave notice of signing the above bills.

On motion the House adjourned.

GEORGE COMEGYS,
Speaker of the House.

E. R. BURK,
Chief Clerk.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Tuesday Nov. 29, 1881.

House called to order by the Speaker.

At roll call all members answered to their names.

Prayer by the chaplain.

Journal of yesterday read and approved.

BILLS, REPORTS AND OTHER BUSINESS LYING ON THE TABLE.

C. B. 146.—An act to create a district court for the county of Stevens and defining the jurisdiction thereof.

Read first time.

And read second and third time by title under suspension of the rules.

And went to vote as follows:

Unanimous ayes.

Absent—Messrs. Clark, Holcomb, Kincaid, Raymond, Rees, Smith of Whitman—6.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

Message from the Council.

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
November 29, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER—

I am instructed by the Council to inform the House that the President has signed

C. B. 111.—An act to provide for suitable desks and furniture for the office of Territorial Auditor.

H. B. 118.—An act in relation to mortgages on certain kinds of property.

H. B. 119.—An act relating to estrays.

H. B. 120.—An act to provide for the election of county commissioners and defining their duties.

H. B. 121.—An act regulating the support of the poor.

H. B. 122.—An act for the protection of stock raisers.

H. B. 123.—An act in relation to counties.

H. B. 124.—An act to create and regulate the office of county Surveyor.

H. B. 126.—An act to protect the inmates of the insane asylum.

H. B. 127.—An act to create and regulate the office of sheriff.

H. B. 157.—An act to incorporporate the city of Waitsburg.

H. B. 163.—An act to provide for the appointment of Commissioners of deeds and to legalize their acts.

H. M. 20.—Asking for an appropriation to remove obstruction from the Cowlitz river.

H. M. 21.—To establish a mail route from Mukilteo, Snohomish county, to Leyman, Whatcom county, via Port Susan, W. T.

H. J. R. 20.—Relative to an extra session of the Legislature.

And that the Council has refused to pass.

H. J. R. 19.—Requesting the Secretary to furnish an itemized bill of Stationery furnished the Legislature.

H. B. 168.—An act in relation to relocation of the county seat of Spokan county, W. T.

R. G. O'BRIEN, *Chief Clerk.*

C. B. 103.—An act fixing the rate to be paid for public printing and providing for the auditing its accounts of public printing.

Read first time

Read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

The bill was referred to the committee on Ways, Means and Claims.

The Conference committee on

H. B. 68.—An act to provide for the assessing and collecting of county and territorial revenue

On leave presented their report which was acted upon seriatim

Ayes and noes being called for on adoption of the report exempting mortgages from taxation and went to vote with the following resulted:

Ayes—Messrs. Catlin, Clark, Cornwall, Holcomb, Kuhn, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Whitman, Steen and Mr. Speaker—13.

Noes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Dillon, Freeman, Judson, Karr, Kincaid, Smith of Klickitat, Taylor, Van Eaton, and Warman—11.

The report was adopted.

Rees in the chair.

Mr. Raymond moved to reconsider the vote just made.

Motion prevailed.

On motion to adopt went to vote again as follows:

Ayes—Messrs. Catlin, Clark, Cornwall, Freeman, Holcomb, Kuhn, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Mr. Speaker—13.

Noes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Dillon, Judson, Karr, Kincaid, Smith of Klickitat, Taylor, Van Eaton, Warman—11.

The Report was again adopted.

The report as a whole was then adopted.

The Clerk was instructed to report the bill and to report to the Council, and stating the action of the House.

C. substitute for

C. B. 90.—An act to fix the number of members of the Legislative Assembly and apportion the same.

Read first time

Read second time by title under suspension of the rules

And made the special order of business for 2 P. M.

M. Raymond called up

H. B. 108.—An act to prevent bribery in elections.

Bill read third time.

Mr. Warman moved to strike out of Sec. 1 or any person who shall carry votes to any polling place by wagon, steamboat, or otherwise.

Mr. Clark moved to indefinitely postpone the bill.

Mr. Kuhn moved the previous question. Motion lost.

The motion to indefinitely postponed and strike out were both voted down.

The bill then went to vote as follows:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Cornwall, Preston, Holcomb, Judson, Karr, Kincaid, Freeman, O'Neil, Raymond, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor, Van Eaton, Warman—18.

Noes—Messrs. Catlin, Clark, Dillon, Kuhn, Rees and Mr. Speaker—6.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

The Council returned with amendments

H. B. 169.—An act to regulate and authorize the erection of wharves.

H. B. 171.—An act in relation to city and county prisoners.

H. B. 116.—An act relating to election and the mode of supplying vacancies.

On motion the House concurred in the amendments

C. B. 127.—An act to incorporate the city of Olympia.

Read first time.

Read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

Mr. Van Eaton moved to amend as follows:

Chapter 4, Sec. 15, line 8, after "resident" insert the following: "Nor to persons over 50 years of age", nor to firemen.

Amendment adopted.

The bill went to vote as follows:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Clark, Cornwall, Dillon, Freeman, Judson, Karr, Kincaid, Kuhn, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor, Van Eaton, Warman and Mr. Speaker—23.

No—Mr. Holcomb—1.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

C. B. 151.—An act concerning proclamations issued by the Governor.

Read first time,

And second time by title under suspension of the rules.

And on motion the bill was referred to the Committee on Printing

C. B. 160.—An act providing for the holding of special terms of courts

Read first, second and third time by title under suspension of the rules and went to vote with the following result:

Ayes, 23. Absent—Mr. Kuhn—1.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

Message from the Council:

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
Nov. 29, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER—

I am instructed by the Council to inform the House that Council has adopted the report of committee of conference on

H. B. 68.—An act to provide for the assessing and collecting of county and territorial revenue.

Herewith transmitted with the bill

R. G. O'BRIEN, *Chief Clerk.*

On motion the House adjourned till 2 P. M.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

House called to order by the Speaker.

All the members present at roll call.

C. Substitute for

C. B. 90.—An act to fix the number of members of the Legislative Assembly and apportion the same.

The same having been made the special order for this hour was taken up and read the third time.

Mr. Freeman asked leave to introduce a substitute; there being no objection, on motion the substitute was read for the information of the members.

Mr. Kuhn moved to amend section 1 after "Columbia" in subdivision 2 by adding "and Garfield." Adopted.

Mr. Kuhn moved to amend subivision 4 by adding after "Columbia" "Garfild." Adopted.

Section 2 was amended to read "The county of Columbia shall elect one member instead of two," and the county of Garfield shall elect one member.

A motion to adopt the substitute resulted as follows:

Ayes—Messrs. Clark, Cornwall, Dillon, Freeman, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor and Mr. Speaker—12.

Noes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Holcomb, Judson, Karr, Kincaid, Kuhn, Rees, Smith of King Van Eaton, Warman—12.

House refused to adopt the substitute.

Mr. Rees in the chair.

The bill was ponstponed until 10 A. M. to-morrow.

Message from the Governor.

EXECUTIVE CHAMBER, Nov. 29, 1881.

I have this day signed the following:

H. B. 111.—An act to change the county line between the counties of Skamania and Klickitat.

H. B. 201.—Substitute for

C. B. 123.—An act to organize the county of Garfield.

H. B. 157.—An act in relation to bills of exchange and promissory notes.

H. B. 119.—An act relating to estrays.

H. B. 163.—An act to provide for the appointment of Commissioners of deeds and to legalize their acts.

H. B. 121.—An act regulating the support of the poor.

H. B. 127.—An act to create and regulate the office of sheriff.

H. M. 21.—To establish a mail route from Mukilteo, Snohomish county, to Leyman, Whatcom county, via Port Susan, W. T.

H. M. 20.—Asking for an appropriation to remove obstruction from the Cowlitz river.

H. J. R. 20.—Relative to an extra session of the Legislature.

H. B. 122.—An act for the protection of stock raisers.

H. B. 124.—An act to create and regulate the office of county Surveyor.

H. B. 123.—An act in relation to counties.

H. B. 126.—An act to protect the inmates of the insane asylum.

H. B. 118.—An act in relation to mortgages on certain kinds of property.

H. B. 120.—An act to provide for the election of county commissioners and defining their duties.

WM. A. NEWELL,
Governor.

Message from the Council.

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
Nov. 29, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER—

I am instructed by the Council to inform the House that the Council has passed.

C. B. 145.—An act to provide for taking depositions out of the Territory.

C. B. 153.—An act in relation to Territorial Auditor.

C. B. 161.—An act to regulate the election of County Commissioners.

C. B. 162.—An act to provide for the care, painting and repair of the Capitol building.

Herewith transmitted for your action.

And that the President has signed

H. B. 16.—An act relating to election and the mode of supplying vacancies.

H. B. 89.—An act to incorporate the city of Spokan falls.

Herewith returned. And the Council has passed

H. B. 136.—An act for the relief of Yakima county.

H. B. 167.—An act to regulate suits for divorce and alimony

H. B. 202.—An act in relation to compensation of certain officers of Garfield county.

Herewith returned.

R. G. O'BRIEN, *Chief Clerk.*

Mr. Clark was granted indefinite leave of absence.

C. B. 104.—An act in relation to Foreign Corporations.

Read first time

Read second and third times by title under suspension of the rules and went to vote with the following result:

Ayes.—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Cornwall, Dillon, Karr, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Rees, Smith of Klickitat, Steen, Van Eaton, Warman and Mr. Speaker—15.

Noes—Mr. Kuhn—1.

Absent—Messrs. Freeman, Holcomb, Judson, Kincaid, Smith of King, Smith of Whitman, Taylor—7.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

C. B. 135.—An act to close business houses and prevent the sale of intoxicating liquors on Sundays.

Read first time; read second and third times by title under suspension of the rules

A motion to amend the bill so that it should apply only to places of 1,000 or more, was lost.

Mr. Judson moved to amend the bill so that it should apply to places of 500 and over. Amendment lost.

The bill then went to vote as follows:

Ayes—Messrs. Allen, Cornwall, Freeman, Karr, Kincaid, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of

Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor, Van Eaton and Mr. Speaker—16.

Noes—Messrs. Catlin, Dillon, Holcomb, Judson, Kuhn, Warman—6.

Absent—Mr. Alexander—1.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

The Speaker resumed the chair.

Message from the Council:

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
November 29, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER—

I am instructed by the Council to inform the House that the Council has concurred in House amendment to

C. B. 44.—An act in relation to employment of Jailors in W. T. and fixing their compensation.

C. B. 127.—An act to incorporate the city of Olympia.

And has passed with amendments.

H. B. 172.—An act to establish courts in the third judicial district. Alsohas passed.

H. J. R. 23.—Relative to the examination of the books and account of the Territorial auditor and treasurer.

H. J. R. 24.—In rebate of imprisonment of Territorial convicts.

Herewith returned. And that the President has signed

C. B. 44.—An act in relation to employment of jailors and fixing their compensation.

H. B. 94.—An act appropriating money for a wagon road over the Cascade mountains.

Herewith transmitted; also passed.

C. B. 55.—An act relating to Sheriffs of different counties performing the duties of Assessor.

R. G. O'BRIEN, *Chief Clerk.*

Report of committee on Enrolled bills

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Enrolled bills to whom was referred the following House bills: 169, 116, 170, 162, 130, 171, 184, 189, 177, 176, 179, 110, 42, 49, 44, 135, 83, 175, 191, 193, 115, 195, and H. J. R. 18, have compared the same and find them correctly enrolled. R. R. REES, *Chairman.*

Speaker gave notice that he was about to sign the above bills.

On motion the House adjourned.

GEORGE COMEGYS,
Speaker of the House.

E. R. BURK,
Chief Clerk.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Wednesday, Nov. 30, 1881.

House called to order by the Speaker.

All the members were present at roll call.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

Journal of yesterday read and approved.

BILLS AND OTHER BUSINESS FROM THE COUNCIL.

H. H. 172.—An act to establish courts in the Third Judicial District.

Was returned with amendment.

The Ayes and Noes being called for on concurrence resulted:

Ayes—Messrs. Clark, Dillon, Judson, Karr, Kuhn, Smith of Klickitat, Taylor, Van Eaton and Warman—9.

Noes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Cornwall, Freeman, Holcomb, Kincaid, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Whitman, Steen and Mr. Speaker—15.

House refused to concur.

On motion House asked for a commmittee of conference ayes, 15; noes, 9.

Mr. Steen asked leave to introduce a bill. There being objections it was withdrawn.

Substitute for

C. B. 90.—An act to fix the numbers of members of the Legislative Assembly and apportion the same.

Having been made the special order for this morning at 10 A. M. it was taken up.

Mr. Holcomb moved to reconsider the vote by which the House refused to adopt the substitute yesterday.

Motion carried by vote of 16 to 8.

Mr. Smith of Whitman moved to adopt the substitute.

The Ayes and Noes being called for resulted as follows:

Ayes—Messrs. Catlin, Clark, Cornwall, Dillon, Freeman, Holcomb, O'Neil, Preston, Rees, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor, Van Eaton, Warman, Speaker—15.

Noes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Judson, Karr, Kincaid, Kuhn, Raymond, Smith of King—8.

The substitute was adopted and

H. B. 205.—An act to fix the number of the Legislative Assembly and to apportion the same.

Read first time.

Mr. Smith of Whitman moved to suspend the rules and put the bill on its second reading.

The Ayes and Noes being called for resulted as follows:

Ayes—Messrs. Clark, Cornwall, Dillon, Freeman, Holcomb, O'Neil, Preston, Rees, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor, Van Eaton, Warman and Mr. Speaker—15.

Noes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Judson, Karr, Kincaid, Kuhn, Raymond, Smith of King—9.

There not being two-thirds majority in favor of suspension the motion was lost.

Mr. Dillon introduced a resolution providing for the ap-

pointment of a committee to wait on the Secretary and get an itemized bill of stationery furnished the legislature.

The House refused to adopt.

C. B. 143.—An act to provide for payment of statutes furnished the executive office and code committee.

Read first time.

Read second and third time by title under suspension of the rules.

The bill then went to vote as follows:

Ayes.—Messrs. Alexander, Catlin, Clark, Cornwall, Dillon, Holcomb, Karr, Kincaid, Kuhn, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Van Eaton, Warman and Mr. Speaker—20.

Noes—Messrs. Freeman, Judson—2.

Absent—Messrs. Allen, Taylor—2.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

C. B. 134.—An act in relation to Territorial Treasurer.

Read first time. Read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

On motion was referred to the committee on Ways, Means and Claims

Message from the Council:

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
Nov. 30, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER—

I am instructed by the Council to inform the House that the Council has passed with amendment

H. B. 99.—An act in relation to roads, bridges, ferries and travel on public highways.

Herewith returned for your concurrence in the same,

R. G. O'BRIEN, *Chief Clerk.*

C. B. 159.—An act extending the time within which the taxes for the year 1881 may be paid.

Read first time

Read second and third time by title under suspension of the rules and then went to vote as follows:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Clark, Cornwall, Dillon, Freeman, Holcomb, Judson, Karr, Kuhn, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor, Van Eaton, Warman and Mr. Speaker—20.

Noes—Messrs. Catlin, Kincaid, Rees—3.

Absent—Mr. Allen—1.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

The Council returned with amendment.

H. B. 99.—An act in relation to roads, bridges and ferries and travel on public highways

The House concurred in all the amendments but those to Section 23 and 68.

A motion prevailed requesting a committee of Conference

The Speaker appointed Messrs. Van Eaton, Judson and Smith of Whitman committee on the part of the House.

C. B. 163.—An act to authorize the city of Dayton to audit and pay certain claims.

Read first time.

Read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

And on motion referred to the Representatives of Columbia county.

C. B. 150.—An act to repeal an act entitled an act to enforce judgments upon contracts according to their true intent and meaning, approved Nov. 23, 1869.

Read first time; read second and third times by title under suspension of the rules

On motion referred to the committee on Judiciary.

C. B. 147.—An act to repeal an act to amend an act to appriate one-half of the Territorial tax of Snohomish county for 1880 for the purpose of building a Territorial road therein approved Nov. 11, 1881.

Read first time

Read second time by title under suspension of the rules

And was indefinitely postpone

C. B. 55.—An act relating to Sheriffs of certain counties performing the duties of Assessor.

Read first time

Read second and third times by title under suspension of the rules and went to vote with the following result:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Catlin, Clark, Cornwall, Dillon, Freeman, Judson, Karr, Kincaid, Kuhn, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Van Eaton, Warman and Mr. Speaker—21.

No—Mr. Holcomb—1.

Absent—Messrs. Allen, Taylor—2.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

C. B. 148.—An act to provide for the election of the general officers of militia and provide a compensation therefor.

Read first time

Read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

And indefinitely postponed.

C. B. 120.—An act to amend an act in relation to licenses.

Read first time

And second time by title under suspension of rules.

And on motion indefinitely postponed.

C. M. 21.—Praying an appropriation for wagon road across the Cascade mountains via Snoqualmie pass.

Read first time.

Read second and third times by title under suspension of the rules.

The memorial then went to vote as follows:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Clark, Dillon, Freeman, Karr, Kincaid, O'Neil, Raymond, Preston, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor, Van Eaton Warman and Mr. Speaker—20.

No—Mr. Kuhn—1.

Absent—Messrs. Cornwall, Holcomb, Judson—3.

Memorial passed.

Resolved, That Mr. Steen has the unanimous consent of the House to introduce a bill: To incorporate the Washington and Idaho Turnpike Road Company.

The above having unanimously passed the House, Mr. Steen was on motion allowed to introduce his bill.

C. B. 161.—An act to regulate the election of County Commissioners.

Read first time and also second time by title, under suspension of the rules.

The bill was indfinitely postponed.

C. B. 162.—An act to provide for the care, painting and repair of the Capitol building.

Read first time, also second time by title under suspension of the rules.

The bill was referred to the committee on Ways, Means and Claims.

C. B. 145.—An act to provide for taking depositions out of the Territory.

Read first time.

Read the second time by title under suspension of the rules.

The bill was referred to the committee on Judiciary.

House adjourned until 2 P. M.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

House called to order by the Speaker.

At roll call all members answered to their names.

BILLS, REPORTS AND OTHER BUSINESS FROM THE COUNCIL.

C. B. 153.—An act in relation to Territorial Auditor.

Read first time.

Read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

Referred to committee on Ways, Means and Claims.

The Conference committee on

H. B. 99.—An act in relation to roads, bridges, ferries, and travel on public highways.

Presented a report which was read and adopted.

The Clerk was instructed to take the bill and report to the Council, and inform them of the action of the House.

PETITION, MEMORIALS AND REMONSTRANCES.

Mr. Dillon introduced,

H. M. 23.—Praying for 80 feet of land of the West edge of the Vancouver, Milita by reservation for a street.

Read first time

Read second time by title, under suspension of the rules.

Read third time under further suspension of the rules and went to vote with the following result:

Ayes—21.

Absent—Messrs. Kuhn, Rees and Taylor—3.

The memorial passed.

Mr. Smith of Whitman introduced,

H. M. 22.—In relation to the creation of another Judicial District.

Read first time. Read second and third time by title under suspension of the rules.

The bill then went to vote as follows:

Ayes—21.

Absent—Messrs. Clark, Freeman, Taylor—3.

Memorial passed.

PROPOSITIONS AND MOTIONS.

Mr. Preston introduced,

H. J. R. 25.—To provide for printing certain laws.

Read first time.

Read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

Referred to the committee on Ways, Means and Claims

Mr. Kuhn introduced,

H. B. 199.—An act for the relief of John J. Calhoun.

Read first time

And second and third time by title under suspension of the rules.

And went to vote as follows:

Ayes—23.

Absent—Mr. Taylor—1.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

Mr. Taylor introduced

H. B. 203.—An act for the relief of Dorsey Schuebley, Sheriff of Yakima county.

Read the first time also the second time by title under suspension of the rules.

And referred to the committee on Ways, Means and Claims

Mr. Kuhn introduced,

H. B. 204.—An act exempting firemen from certain duties

Read first time, read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

The bill read third time went to vote with the following result:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Catlin, Cornwall, Karr, Kuhn, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Steen, Van Eaton, Warman—14.

Noes—Messrs. Allen, Clark, Dillon, Freeman, Holcomb, Judson, Kincaid, Smith of Whitman, Taylor and Mr. Speaker—10.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

Mr. Smith of Klickitat introduced,

H. B 205.—An act to prevent hogs from trespassing in Klickitat county.

Read first time. And second time by title under suspension of the rules,

The bill read third time by title and went to vote as follows:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Clark, Cornwall, Dillon, Judson, Karr, Kincaid, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Van Eaton, Warman—19.

Noes—Messrs. Freeman, Holcomb, Kuhn—3.

Absent—Messrs. Taylor and Comegys—2.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

Mr. Karr introduced,

H. B. 206.—An act to provide for the payment of persons who may assist county school superintendents in the examination of teachers.

Read first time,

And second time by title under suspension of the rules.

Read third time under further suspension of the rules

And went to vote as follows:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Clark, Dillon, Karr, Kincaid, Kuhn, Preston, Raymond, Rees, Smith of Klickitat, Van Eaton, Warman—13.

Noes—Messrs. Catlin, Cornwall, Freeman, Judson, O'Neil, Smith of King, Smith of Whitman, Steen—8.

Absent—Messrs. Holcomb, Taylor, Mr. Speaker—3.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

Mr. Van Eaton introduced,

H. B. 207.—An act to prevent the spread of contagious diseases in any of the counties in W. T.

Read first time.

And read second and third time by title under suspension of the rules.

And the bill went to vote as follows:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Clark, Cornwall, Dillon, Judson, Karr, Kincaid, Kuhn, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Van Eaton, Warman—20.

Noes—Messrs. Freeman, Holcomb—2.

Absent—Messrs. Taylor and Mr. Speaker—2.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

Mr. Judson introduced,

H. B. 208.—An act defining the boundaries of Pierce county

Read first time and also second time by title under suspension of the rules.

And on motion referred to the committee on Counties.

Mr. Van Eaton introduced,

H. B. 209.—An act to provide for the furnishing of the office of the clerk of the Supreme court.

Read first time.

Read second time by title under supension of the rules.

The bill was indefinitely ponstponed.

Message from the Council:

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
Nov. 30, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER—

I am instructed by the Council to inform the House that Council has adopted the report of committee of conference on

H. B. 99.—An act in relation to roads, ferries, bridges and travel on public highways.

And the same is herewith returned.

R. G. O'BRIEN, *Chief Clerk.*

Mr. Alexander introduced,

H. B. 210.—An act to authorize the county commissioners to sell certain real estate.

Read first time.

Read second and third time by title under suspension of the rules and went to vote with the following result:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Catlin, Clark, Cornwall, Freeman, Holcomb, Kincaid, Kuhn, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Van Eaton, Warman, and Speaker—18.

Noes—Messrs. Allen, Dillon, Judson, Karr—4.

Absent—Messrs. Steen, Taylor—2.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

Mr. Holcomb introduced,

H. B. 211.—An act to provide that the code be furnished to certain Territorial officers.

Read first time.

Read the second and third time by title under suspension of the rules.

Then went to vote as follows:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Clark, Cornwall, Dillon, Holcomb, Kincaid, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Warman—13.

Noes—Messrs. Catlin, Freeman, Karr, Kuhn, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman and Van Eaton—7.

Absent—Messrs. Judson, Steen, Taylor and Mr. Speaker—4.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

Mr. Holcomb introduced.

H. B. 212.—An act to authorize the county commissioners of Klickitat county to offer a reward for the arrest and conviction of a felon.

Read first time.

Read second and third time by title under suspension of the rules

And went to vote with the following result:

Ayes.—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Clark, Cornwall, Dillon, Holcomb, Karr, Kincaid, O'Neil, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Van Eaton and Warman—16.

Noes—Messrs. Freeman, Preston—2.

Absent—Messrs. Judson, Kuhn, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor, Mr. Speaker—6.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

Mr. Holcomb introduced

H. B. 213.—An act prohibiting Goats from running at large in Klickitat county.

Read first time.

Read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

Read third time by title under further suspension of the rules.

The bill then went to vote as follows:

Ayes—Messrs. Clark, Cornwall, Freeman, Holcomb, Kincaid, O'Neil, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Steen—10.

Noes—Messrs. Alexander, Catlin, Dillon, Judson, Kuhn, Preston, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Taylor, Van Eaton, Warman and Mr. Speaker—12.

Absent—Messrs. Allen and Karr—2.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

Mr. Smith of Klickitat introduced

H. B. 216.—An act to prohibit the manufacture and sale of intoxicating liquors except for medicinal purposes and to regulate the manufacture and sale thereof for such excepted purpose.

The bill read the first time.

Speaker resumed the chair.

And appointed Messrs. Smith of Whitman, O'Neil and Taylor Conference committee on the part of the House on

H. B. 172.—An act to establish courts in the Third Judicial District.

On motion the House adjourned.

GEORGE COMEGYS,
Speaker of the House.

E. R. BURK,
Chief Clerk.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
Thursday, Dec. 1, 1881.

House called to order by the Speaker.

All the members were present at roll call but Messrs. Holcomb and Steen.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

Journal of yesterday read and approved.

Report of committee on Conference.

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee to confer with a like committee of the Council on

C. B. 121.—An act for the relief of B. S. Miller.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back with the following amendment:

That "Five hundred dollars and fifty cents" be stricken out and "two hundred and seventy-four dollars and fifty cents" inserted.

And recommend that the county commissioners of Jefferson county be authorized to pay the balance of said five hundred and fifty dollars.

And so amended we recommend that it do pass.

THOMAS WARMAN,
ADAM CATLIN,
JAMES WALLACE,

A call of the House being demanded,

The Seargeant-at-arms brought in the absent members.

And further call was dispensed with.

On motion the report was adopted.

PROPOSITIONS AND MOTIONS.

Mr. Steen introduced

H. B. 217.—An act to incorporate the Washington and Idaho turnpike road company.

Read first time.

And indefinitely postponed.

SECOND READING OF BILLS

H. B. 215.—substitute for

C. B. 90.—An act to fix the number of members of the Legislative Assembly and apportion the same.

Read second time.

A motion to refer to the Code committee was lost ayes, 6; noes, 18;

A motion to suspend the rules and read the bill the third time was lost ayes, 14; noes, 10.

House took a recess of 10 minutes, after which it resumed business again.

Mr. Warman moved to reconsider the vote by which the House adopted

Substitute for

C. B. 90.—An act to fix the number of members of the Legislative Assembly and apportion the same.

Motion carried, and vote reconsidered

C. Substitute

C. B. 90.—An act to fix the number of members of the Legislative Assembly and apportion the same.

The bill was read the third time.

The bi'l went to vote as follows:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Dillon, Holcomb, Judson, Karr, Kincaid, Kuhn, Raymond, Sm h of King, Van Eaton, Warman—13.

Noes—Messrs. Clark, Cornwall, Freeman, O'Neil, Preston, Rees, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor and Mr. Speaker—11.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

The Clerk was instructed to report all bills to Council as soon as passed by the House

Message from the Council:

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
November 30, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER—

I am instructed by the Council to inform the House that the Council has concurred in House amendment to substitute for

C. B. 157.—An act to provide for the Education of Deat Mutes

And has passed

C. M. 7.—Praying the passage of an act of Congress enabling Board of county commissioners to borrow money for certain purposes.

C. J. R. 24.—To provide for printing certain laws and distributing the same.

C. B. 141.—An act in relation to Prosecuting Attorneys.

C. B. 149.—An act authorizing the cities, incorporated towns and villages to provide for a supply of water.

C. B. 158.—An act to provide for the formation and maintenance of county law libraries.

C. B. 167.—An act to amend an act entitled an act to amend an act entitled an act defining the jurisdiction and practice in the probate courts of W. T., approved Nov. 8, 1877.

C. B. 37.—An act appropriating money to the University of Washington on securing title thereto.

Herewith transmitted for your action

Also

H. B. 108.—An act to prevent bribery in elections.

H. B. 160.—An act to amend an act entitled an act to incorporate the city of Vancouver, approved Jan. 27, 1868.

And has passed.

H. B. 174.—An act to authorize the county commissioners of Jefferson county to pay rewards offered by the sheriff of said county.

H. B. 198.—An act to amend an act in relation to Sheriffs of certain counties.

And with amendment.

H. B. 186.—An act in relation to Landlord and Tenant.

Returned for your concurrence,

Also

H. M. 22.—In relation to the creation of another Judicial District.

H. M. 23.—Praying for 80 feet of land of the West edge of the Vancouver Military reservation for a street.

And that the President has signed

H. B. 44.—An act providing for the payment of repairs and storage on Territorial property in the custody of the quarter master general.

H. B. 42.—An act for the better preservation of the records of the Supreme court of Washington Territory.

H. B. 49.—An act for the relief of the chief clerks

H. B. 83.—An act prohibiting the owners of hogs from permitting to same to run at large on Fidelgo Island, Whatcom county.

H. B. 110.—An act relating to county Auditors.

H. B. 115.—An act to regulate the descent of real estate and personal property.

H. B. 116.—An act in relation to graded schools in incorporated cities and towns.

H. B. 130.—An act to create the office of wreckmaster and define his duties.

H. B. 136.—An act for the relief of Yakima county.

H. B. 162.—An act to authorize the formation of limited partnerships.

H. B. 169.—An act to regulate and authorize the erection of wharves.

H. B. 170.—An act offering a bounty for killing wild animals.

H. B. 171.—An act in relation to city and county prisoners.

H. B. 175.—An act to repeal an act entitled an act for the relief of Yakima county.

H. B. 176.—An act regulating the publication of legal notices.

H. B. 177.—An act relating to the Seal of the Territory.

H. B. 179.—An act declaring roads, streets and alleys in towns and cities public highways.

H. B. 184.—An act permitting aliens to acquire, hold and dispose of real estate, and to build, lease and purchase, railroad tramways and bridges.

H. B. 189.—An act regulating the rates of toll for grinding grain.

H. B. 191.—An act to prevent the smoking and inhaling of opium.

H. B. 193.—An act in relation the Probate Judge of Chehalis county.

H. B. 195.—An act to prevent the spreading of contagious and infectious diseases among sheep.

H. J. R. 18.—Instructing committee on Ways, Means and Claims to ascertion the amounts of expenses by the territory in the late Indian outbreak, and report a memorial to Congress to reimburse the territory.

All of which is herewith returned.

And that the President has signed

C. B. 83.—An act in relation to taking up of saw logs and other timber of value in Snake river.

C. B. 146.—An act to create a district court for the county of Stevens and defining the jurisdiction thereof.

C. B. 160.—An act providing for the holding of special terms of courts

C. J. R. 23.—Relative to new business.

Herewith transmitted for your signature

And the Council has passed.

H. B. 199.—An act for the relief of John J. Calhoun.

H. B. 204.—An act exempting firemen from certain duties

H. B. 212.—An act to authorize the county commissioners of Klickitat county to offer a reward for the arrest and conviction of a felon.

Also with amendment

H. B. 205.—An act to fix the number of the Legislative Assembly and to apportion the same.

H. B. 206.—An act to provide for the payment of persons who may assist county school superintendents in the examination of teachers.

H. B. 207.—An act to prevent the spread of contagious diseases in any of the counties in W. T.

H. B. 210.—An act to authorize the county commissioners to sell certain real estate.

Herewith transmitted for your concurrence

R. G. O'BRIEN, *Chief Clerk.*

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Conference to whom was referred

H. B. 172.—An act to establish courts in the third judicial district.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back with recommendation that the House concur in Council amendment

ELWOOD EVANS,
JAS. O'NEIL,
G. S. TAYLOR,
Committee.

Ayes and noes being called for on adoption of the report resulted as follows:

Ayes—Messrs. Dillon, Freeman, Holcomb, Judson, Karr, Kuhn, O'Neil, Preston, Smith of Klickitat, Taylor, Van Eaton, Warman—13.

Noes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Cornwall, Kin-

caid, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Whitman, Steen and Mr. Speaker—11.

The report was adopted.

A vote to reconsider was lost.

Ayes, 8; noes, 16.

Message from the Council.

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
November 30, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER—

I am instructed by the Council to inform the House that the President has signed

C. B. 55.—An act relating to Sheriffs of certain counties performing the duties of Assessor.

C. B. 104.—An act in relation to Foreign C rporations.

C. B. 127.—An act to incorporate the city of Olympia.

C. B. 135.—An act to close business houses and prevent the sale of intoxicating liquors on Sundays.

C. B. 143.—An act to provide for payment of statutes furnished the executive office and code committee.

Herewith transmitted for your signature,

Also,

C. B. 159.—An act extending the time within which the taxes for the year 1881 may be paid.

Transmitted herewith

R. G. O'BRIEN, *Chief Clerk.*

Speaker gave notice that he was about to sign the above bills.

H. B. 216.—An act to prohibit the manufacture and sale of intoxicating liquors except for medicinal purposes and to regulate the manufacture and sale thereof for such excepted purpose.

Read second time.

A motion to suspend the rules and read the bill the third time resulted as follows:

Ayes—Messrs. Cornwall, Holcomb, Kuhn, Preston, Raymond, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor, Van Eaton, Warman and Mr. Speaker—12.

Noes—Messrs. Alexander, Catlin, Clark, Dillon, Freeman, Judson, Karr, Kincaid, O'Neil, Rees, Smith of King, Allen—12.

House refused to suspend the rules

Mr. Preston moved that no member be allowed to leave the hall without consent of the House.

Motion prevailed.

On motion the House adjourned till 1 P. M.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

House called to order by the Speaker.

All the members present at roll call but Mr. Clark, absent on leave.

Message from the Council:

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
Dec. 1, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER—

I am instructed by the Council to inform the House that the Council has passed with amendment

H. B. 100.—An act act in relation to Elk.

Herewith returned for your concurrence in the same,

R. G. O'BRIEN, *Chief Clerk.*

On motion the House concurred in the amendments

Also to Council amendments to

H. B 205.—An act to prevent hogs from trespassing in Klickitat county.

Report of committee on Agriculture.

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Agriculture to whom was referred

C. B. 117.—An act to provide for the construction of dikes and ditches.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back and recommend that it do pass.

A. VAN EATON, *Chairman.*

The bill was read third time and went to vote as follows:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Catlin, Allen, Cornwall, Dillon, Freeman, Holcomb, Judson, Karr, Kuhn, O'Neil, Smith of Whitman, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of King, Steen, Taylor, Van Eaton and Mr. Speaker—18.

No—Mr. Kincaid—1.

Absent—Messrs. Clark, Preston, Raymond, Rees, and Warman—5.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

Mr. Rees in the chair.

Report of the committee on Enrolled bills.

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Enrolled bills to whom was referred

H. B. 206.—An act to provide for the payment of persons who may assist county school superintendents with examination of teachers.

H. B. 199.—An act for the relief of John J. Calhoun.

H. B. 167.—An act to regulate suits for divorce and alimony

H. M. 22.—In relation to the creation of another Judicial district.

H. M. 23.—Praying for 80 feet of land of the Vancouver military reservation for a street.

I have compared the same and find them correctly enrolled

R. R. REES, *Chairman.*

Speaker gave notice he was about to sign above the bills.

House took from the table

C. B. 141.—An act in relation to Prosecuting Attorneys.

Read first time

Read second and third time by title under suspension of the rules and then went to vote as follows:

Ayes.—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Cornwall, Freeman, Judson, Karr, Kincaid, Kuhn, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor, Van Eaton, Warman and Mr. Speaker—20.

Noes—Messrs. Dillon, Holcomb, and Rees—3.

Absent—Mr. Clark—1.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

Report of Special committee

MR. SPEAKER—

Your Special committee to whom was assigned the duty of examining into the condition of certain offices beg leave to report that

We have made as thorough and careful an examination of the books and accounts of the Territorial Auditor as our limited time would permit and we take pleasure in saying that the same appeared to have been kept in a neat and thoroughly business like manner.

The entire office considering the meager facilities with which it seems to have been hitherto provided shows skillful arrangement in all the varied routine of work necessary to the proper administration of its affairs and thoughtful care upon the part of the Auditor in the general mangement of the fiscal concerns of the Territory.

The rapidly increasing duties and labors consequent upon the increase of population and material interests of the Territory, its whole financial system centering through the Territorial Auditor's office demand the attention of the Legislature. And we would respectfully recommend as a matter of wise economy that provision be made at an early day for an increase in the clerical force in that office.

In respect to the office of Territorial Treasurer we find about the same state of affairs as in the office of the Auditor, well kept books and all proper arrangements for the safe keeping of the money and valuable papers belonging to that office.

To us the salary of the office seems meager in considera tion of the heavy bond required and the duties and responsibilities of the office the Treasurer and his bondsmen being insurers of the funds of the Territory in every possible contingency.

We also report that the appropriation of $1,500 made by the legislature of 1875 for the benefit of the Territorial University was drawn from the Treasury without the authority of law. And recommend that the Prosecuting Attorney proceed to recover the same.

Joint Com. on Ways, Means and Claims.

On motion the report was adopted.

Report of committee on Ways, Means and Claims.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your committee on Ways, Means and Claims to whom was referred

H. J. R. 25.—To provide for printing certain laws.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back with the recommendation

That the code committee be instructed to have 1,000 copies each of the road and school laws and 500 each of the election and revenue laws printed—the cost for which will not exceed $225.

W. G. PRESTON, *Chairman.*

On motion the report was adopted.

On motion the resolution was further amended to limit the amount of $250.

The resolution was read a third time and passed.

Ayes—22.

Noes—Mr. Freeman—1.

Absent—Mr. Clark—1.

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Counties to whom was referred

H. B. 208.—An act defining the boundaries of Pierce county

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back and recommend that it do pass.

A. VAN EATON,
W. G. PRESTON,
R. P. STEEN,
Committee.

The report was received.

Minority report

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee to whom was referred

H. B. 208.—An act Defining the lines of Pierce county.

Have considered the same and recommend that it that it do not pass.

O. KINCAID,
T. J. SMITH,
Minority.

On motion the report was received.

Bill read third time.

And went to vote with the following result:

Ayes—Messrs. Catlin, Dillon, Judson, Karr, Kuhn, Preston, Steen, Van Eaton, Warman and Mr. Speaker—10.

Noes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Cornwall, Freeman, Kincaid, O'Neil, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Taylor—12.

Absent—Messrs. Clark, Holcomb—2.

The House refused to pass the bill.

Message from the Council:

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
Dec. 1, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER—

I am instructed by the Council to inform the House that the Council has concurred in House amendments to

C. B. 90.—An act to fix the number of members of the Legislative Assembly and apportion the same.

And have adopted the report of committee of conference on

C. B. 121.—An act for the relief of B. S. Miller.

Have compared the same and report them correctly enrolled.

Herewith transmitted for your signature. Also

C. M. 21.—Praying an appropriation for wagon road across the Cascade mountains via Snoqualmie pass.

Transmitted for your signature.

R. G. O'BRIEN, *Chief Clerk.*

Speaker gave notice that he was about to sign the above bills

Report of Special committee

MR. SPEAKER—

Your Special committee to whom was referred

C. B. 93.—An act for the relief of John G. Justice and others

Have had the same under consideration and report back a substitute and recommend that it do pass.

T. J. SMITH,
GEO. COMEGYS,

On motion the substitute was adopted.

H. B. 218.—substitute for

C. B. 93.—An act in relation to John G. Justice and others.

Read first time.

Read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

Read third time by title under suspension of the rules and passed unanimously.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

Report of committee on Printing

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Printing to whom was referred

C. B. 151.—An act concerning proclamations issued by the Governor.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back and recommend that the words "fifteen dollars" be stricken out and "twelve dollars" inserted.

The Report was adopted.

The bill as amended was read the third time.

And went to vote with the following result:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Catlin, Cornwall, O'Neil, Pres-

ton, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Warman and Mr. Speaker—11.

Noes—Messrs. Freeman, Judson, Kuhn, Smith of Whitman, Steen and Van Eaton—6.

Absent—Messrs. Allen, Clark, Dillon, Holcomb, Karr, Kincaid, Taylor—7.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

MR SPEAKER—

Your committee on Ways, Means and Claims to whom was referred

C. B. 103.—An act fixing the rate to be paid for public printing and providing for the auditing its accounts of public printing.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back with the recommendation

Sec. 1 strike out last four words. Sec. 2 after names of board insert "Who shall be duly sworn"

And that it do pass so amended.

W. G. PRESTON,
Chairman.

Report adopted.

The bill as amended was read the third time and on its final passage received

Ayes—16.

No—Mr. Holcomb—1.

Absent—Messrs. Clark, Kuhn and Taylor—3.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

Also

Your committee on Ways, Means and Claims having considered

C. B. 162.—An act to provide for the care, painting and repair of the Capitol building.

Recommend its passage.

W. G. Preston,
Chairman.

Mr. Preston's motion to amend the bill by adding the word "grounds" after "buildings."

Prevailed.

The bill as amended read third time and went to vote as follows:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Cornwall, Dillon, Holcomb, Judson, Karr, Kincaid, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor, Van Eaton, Warman and Mr. Speaker—20.

Noes—Messrs. Catlin, Freeman—2.

Absent—Messrs. Clark, Kuhn—2.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

Also

Your committee on Ways, Means and Claims to whom was referred

C. B. 134.—An act in relation to Territorial Treasurer.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back with the recommendation that it do pass with one of the Judges of the Supreme Court associated with the Governor.

W. G. PRESTON,
Chairman.

Report adopted.

Bill as amended read third time and went to vote as follows:

Ayes—22; noes, Mr. Kincaid—1.

Absent—Mr. Clark—1.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

Message from the Council.

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
Dec. 1, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER—

I am instructed by the Council to inform the House that the President has signed

C. B. 90.—An act to fix the number of members of the Legislative Assembly and apportion the same.

Herewith transmitted. Also

H. M. 22.—In relation to the creation of another Judicial district.

H. M. 23.—Praying for 80 feet of land of the Vancouver military reservation for a street.

H. B. 199.—An act for the relief of John J. Calhoun.

H. B. 167.—An act to regulate suits for divorce and alimony

H. B. 206.—An act to provide for the payment of persons who may assist county school superintendents with examination of teachers.

Herewith returned.

And that the Council has concurred in House amendment to

C. B. 117.—An act to provide for the construction of dikes and ditches.

R. G. O'BRIEN,
Chief Clerk.

The Speaker gave notice of signing

C. Substitute

C. B. 90.—An act to fix the number of members of the Legislative Assembly and apportion the same.

Report of committee on Ways, Means and Claims

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Ways, Means and Claims to whom was referred

C. B. 142.—An act for the relief of Lewis McMillan

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back and recommend that it do pass.

W. G. PRESTON,
Chairman.

A mhtion to strike out the $26, was lost.

The bill then went to vote as follows:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Cornwall, Judson, Karr, Kincaid, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor, Van Eaton Warman and Mr. Speaker—18.

Noes—Messrs. Catlin, Dillon, Freeman, Holcomb, Kuhn—5.

Absent—Mr. Clark—1.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

Report of Committee on Judiciary,

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Judiciary to whom was referred

H. B. 166.—An act to validate certain contracts in relation to logs.

Have considered the same and report a substitute

J. A. KUHN, *Chairman.*

On motion bill was indefinitely postponed.

Speaker in the chair,

Report of committee on Agriculture.

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Agriculture to whom was referred

H. B. 187.—An act relating to the improvement of tide land.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back and recommend that it do pass.

A. VAN EATON,
Chairman.

The bill was read third time

And went to vote as follows:

Ayes—Messrs. Catlin, Cornwall, Dillon, Holcomb, Karr, Kincaid, Kuhn, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor, Van Eaton and Mr. Speaker—18.

Noes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Freeman—3.

Absent—Messrs. Clark, Judson, Warman—3.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

Message from the Council:

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
Dec. 1, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER—

I am instructed by the Council to inform the House that the Council has concurred in House amendment to

C. B. 103.—An act fixing the rate to be paid for public printing and providing for the auditing of the accounts of the public printer.

C. B. 151.—An act concerning proclamations issued by the Governor.

C. B. 162.—An act to provide for the care of the capitol building.

And has passed

H. B. 218.—substitute for

C. B. 93.—An act in relation to John G. Justice and others.

Herewith returned.

And the Council has refused to pass

H. B 84.—An act to regulate the government of the Hospital for the Insane.

R. G. O'BRIEN,
Chief Clerk.

Report of committee on the Hospital for the Insane

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Hospital for the Insane to whom was referred

H. B. 185.—An act to dispose of certain persons held in custody.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back with the recommendation that it do pass.

L. P. SMITH,
Chairman.

Bill read third time

And went to vote with the following result:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Freeman, Holcomb, Karr, Kuhn, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor Van Eaton and Mr. Speaker—19.

Noes—Messrs. Cornwall, Dillon—2.

Absent—Messrs. Clark, Judson, Warman—3.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

Report of committee on Commerce and Fisheries

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Commerce and Fisheries to whom was referred

H. B. 61.—An act to encourage the cultivation of oysters in the counties of Thurston and Mason.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back and recommend that it do not pass.

THOMAS WARMAN,
Chairman.

On motion the report was adopted.

The House thereby refused to pass the bill.

Report of committee on Education

MR. SPEAKER—

Your Committee on Education to whom was referred

C. B. 133.—An act in relation to University lands in W. T.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back with recommendation that it do pass.

J. A. KARR,
Chairman.

Amendment offered by Mr. Karr, was lost.

Was read third time.

The bill then went to vote as follows:

Ayes—Messrs. Cornwall, Dillon, Holcomb, Karr, Kincaid, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Steen, Warman and Mr. Speaker—14.

Noes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Freeman, Judson, Kuhn, Smith of Whitman, Taylor and Van Eaton—9.

Absent—Mr. Clark—1.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

Message from the Council:

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
Dec. 1, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER—

I am instructed by the Council to inform the House that the Council has passed with amendment

H. B. 98.—An act for the relief of San Juan county.

Herewith returned for your concurrence.

R. G. O'BRIEN,
Chief Clerk.

The following bills were taken from the table returned with amendment.

H. B. 98.—An act for the relief of San Juan county.

House refused to concur in the amendment.

A committee of conference being asked by the House Mr. Kuhn was appointed on part of the House committee.

H. B. 186.—An act in relation to Landlord and Tenant.

House concurred in the amendments.

H. B. 210.—An act to authorize the county commissioners to sell certain real estate.

House refused to concur.

Mr. Alexander was appointed committee of Conference on part of the House.

H. B. 207.—An act to prevent the spread of contagious diseases in any of the counties in W. T.

House concurred in the amendment.

On motion of Mr. Alexander it was decided that when the House adjourned it be to meet at 7 o'clock this evening.

Report of committee on Education

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Education to whom was referred

H. B. 173.—An act to exempt certain property from taxation.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back and recommend that it be indefinitely postponed.

J. A. KARR,
Chairman.

On motion the report was adopted thereby indefinitely postponing the bill.

Message from the Council.—

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
Dec. 1, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER—

I am instructed by the Council to inform the House that the Council has concurred in House amendments to

C. B. 134.—An act in relation to Territorial Treasurer.

And has passed.

H. B. 187.—An act for the improvement of tide land.

Herewith returned.

R. G. O'BRIEN,
Chief Clerk.

Report of committee on Penitentiary

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Penitentiary to whom was referred

H. J. R. 21.—In regard to the use of the furniture &c.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back with recommendation that it pass

WATSON ALLEN,
Chairman.

The resolution was read a third time and then went to vote as follows:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Cornwall, Dillon, Freeman, Karr, Kuhn, O'Neil, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Steen, Van Eaton, Warman and Mr. Speaker—15.

Noes—Messrs. Holcomb, Judson, Preston, Rees, Taylor—5.

Absent—Messrs. Clark, Kincaid, Raymond, Smith of Whitman—4.

The resolution passed.

Report of Special committee

MR. SPEAKER—

Your Special committee to whom was referred

C. B. 163.—An act to authorize the city of Dayton to audit and pay certain claims.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back with the recommendation that it do pass

R. P. STEEN,
W. L. FREEMAN,
WM. CLARK,
Committee.

The bill was read the third time

And went to vote with the following result:

Ayes.—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Cornwall, Dillon, Freeman, Judson, Karr, Kuhn, O'Neil, Preston, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Steen, Taylor, Van Eaton, Warman and Mr. Speaker—19.

No—Mr. Holcomb—1.

Absent—Messrs. Clark, Kincaid, Raymond and Smith of Whitman—4.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

Report of committee on Corporations.

MR. SPEAKER:

Your committee on Corporations to whom was referred

C. B. 138.—An act to repeal an act entitled an act to provide for the incorporation of towns, approved Nov. 29, 1871.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back and recommend that it do pass.

O. KINCAID,
Chairman.

Bill read third time.

And went to vote with the following result:

Ayes—20.

Noes—None.

Absent—Messrs. Clark, Kincaid, Raymond and Smith of Whitman—4.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

Report of committee on Corporations

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Corporations to whom was referred

C. B. 137.—An act to repeal an act to provide for the incorporation of cities, approved Nov. 9, 1877.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back and recommend that it pass.

O. KINCAID,
Chariman.

Bill read third time

And went to vote as follows:

Ayes.—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Cornwall, Freeman, Judson, Karr, Kincaid, Kuhn, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor, Van Eaton, Dillon, Rees, Warman and Mr. Speaker—22.

No—Mr. Holcomb—1.

Absent—Mr. Clark—1.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

Report of committee on Corporations

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Corporations to whom was referred

H. B. 194.—An act to amend an act relating to Justices of the Peace and to their practice and jurisdiction.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back without recommendation

O. KINCAID,
Chairman.

The bill was read the third time

And went to vote as follows:

Ayes—Messrs. Freeman, Holcomb, Kuhn, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Van Eaton and Warman—7.

Noes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Catlin, Cornwall, Dillon, Judson, Karr, Kincaid, O'Neil, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Taylor and Mr. Speaker—15.

Absent—Messrs. Clark and Preston—2.

The House refused to pass the bill.

Report of committee on Commerce and Fisheries.

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Commerce and Fisheries to whom was referred

The Governor's message for Nov. 21 in regard to Life Saving Service on the Pacific coast.

Have considered the same and report on the subject a memorial to Congress and recommend that it pass.

THOMAS WARMAN,
Chairman.

The Report was adopted. And

H. M. 24.—Relative to Life Saving Stations and Light Houses.

Read first time.

Read second time by title under suspension of the rules.

Bill read third time and went to vote as follows:

Ayes—20.

Noes—None.

Absent—Messrs. Clark, Kincaid, Raymond and Rees—4.

The memorial passed.

Report of the committee on Enrolled bills.

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Enrolled bills to whom was referred

H. B. 68.—An act to provide for the assessing and collecting of county and territorial revenue.

H. B. 136.—An act authorizing the Territorial Auditor to credit Yakima county with the cost bills.

H. B. 205.—An act to prevent hogs from trespassing in Klickitat county.

H. B. 100.—An act act in relation to Elk.

H. B. 172.—An act to establish courts in the third judicial district.

H. B. 198.—An act to amend an act in relation to Sher iffs of certain counties.

H. B. 212.—An act to authorize the county commissioners

of Klickitat county to offer a reward for the arrest and conviction of a felon.

H. B. 202.—An act in relation to compensation of certain officers of Garfield county.

H. B. 108.—An act to prevent bribery in elections.

H. B. 174.—An act to authorize the county commissioners of Jefferson county to pay rewards offered by the sheriff of said county.

H. B. 204.—An act exempting firemen from certain duties.

H. J. R. 24.—In rebate of imprisonment of Territorial convicts.

H. J. R. 23.—Relative to the examination of the books and account of the Territorial auditor and treasurer.

Have compared the same with the original and find them correctly enrolled.

R. R. REES,
Chairman.

Speaker gave notice that he was about to sign the above bills and Resolutions.

On motion the House adjourned till 7 P. M.

EVENING SESSION.

House called to order by the Speaker.

All the members present at roll call but Mr. Clark, absent on leave.

Messrs. Judson, Raymond and Smith were granted unanimous consent to introduce relief bills for clerk hire.

Report of Conference committee

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Conference to whom was referred

H. B. 98.—An act for the relief of San Juan county.

Have considered the same and recommend that the House concur in Council amendment

J. A. KUHN,
Committee of House.
B. L. SHARPSTEIN,
Committee of Council.

Message from the Governor.

WASHINGTON TERRITORY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
Olympia, Nov. 30, 1881.

To the House of Representatives:

I have this day signed the following:

H. B. 94.—An act appropriating money for a wagon road across the Cascade mountains.

WM. A. NEWELL.
Governor.

Message from the Governor:

TERRITORY OF WASHINGTON,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
Olympia, Dec. 1, 1881.

To the House of Representatives

I have this day signed the following:

H. B. 110.—An act relating to county Auditors.

H. B. 195.—An act to prevent the spreading of contagious and infectious diseases among sheep.

H. B. 193.—An act in relation the Probate Judge of Chehalis county.

H. B. 44.—An act providing for the payment of repairs and storage on Territorial property in the custody of the quarter master general.

H. B. 189.—An act regulating the rates of toll for grinding grain.

H. B. 170.—An act offering a bounty for killing wild animals.

H. B. 171.—An act in relation to city and county prisoners.

H. B. 191.—An act to prevent the smoking and inhaling of opium.

H. B. 175.—An act to repeal an act entitled an act for the relief of Yakima county.

H. B. 176.—An act regulating the publication of legal notices.

H. B. 115.—An act to regulate the descent of real estate and personal property.

H. B. 135.—An act to reimburse Yakima county.

H. B. 169.—An act to regulate and authorize the erection of wharves.

H. B. 130.—An act to create the office of wreckmaster and define his duties.

H. B. 184.—An act permitting aliens to acquire, hold and dispose of real estate, and to build, lease and purchase, railroad tramways and bridges.

H. B. 116.—An act in relation to graded schools in incorporated cities and towns.

H. B. 162.—An act to authorize the formation of limited partnerships.

H. B. 42.—An act for the better preservation of the records of the Supreme court of Washington Territory.

H. B. 49.—An act for the relief of the chief clerks

H. B. 83.—An act prohibiting the owners of hogs from permitting to same to run at large on Fidelgo Island, Whatcom county.

H. B. 179.—An act declaring roads, streets and alleys in towns and cities public highways.

H. J. R. 18.—Instructing committee on Ways, Means and Claims to ascertion the amounts of expenses by the territory in

the late Indian outbreak, and report a memorial to Congress to reimburse the territory.

H. B. 199.—An act for the relief of John J. Calhoun.

H. M. 23.—Praying for 80 feet of land of the West edge of the Vancouver Military reservation for a street.

H. B. 206.—An act to provide for the payment of persons who may assist county school superintendents in the examination of teachers.

H. M. 22.—In relation to the creation of another Judicial District.

I am respectfully,

WM. A. NEWELL.
Governor.

Report of committee on Judiciary

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Judiciary to whom was referred

C. B. 145.—An act to provide for taking depositions out of the Territory.

Have considered the same and recommend that it do pass.

J. A. KUHN,
Chairman.

On motion the bill was indefinitly postponed

Report of committee on Judiciary

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Judiciary to whom was referred

C. B. 150.—An act to repeal an act entitled an act to enforce judgments upon contracts according to their true intent and meaning, approved Nov. 23, 1869.

Have had the same under consideration and report the same back and recommend its passage.

J. A. KUHN,
Chairman.

The bill was read the third time.

Amended by adding enacting clause.

And went to vote with the following result:

Ayes—Messrs. Allen, Catlin, Cornwall, Dillon, Freeman, Judson, Karr, Kuhn, O'Neil, Preston, Raymond, Smith of King, Smith of Klickitat, Warman—14.

Noes—Messrs. Kincaid, Rees, Smith of Whitman, Steen, Taylor, Van Eaton, and Mr. Speaker—7.

Absent—Messrs. Alexander and Holcomb—2.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

By unanimous consent of both Houses Mr. Smith of Whitman introduced,

H. B. 219.—An act for the relief of G. Galligher for services as engrossing clerk.

Read first time.

Read second time by title

Read third time under suspension of the rules
Then went to vote as follows.
Ayes—23.
Noes—None.
Absent—Mr. Clark—1.
Bill passed and title agreed to.

By unanimous consent of both Houses Mr. Raymond introduced,

H. B. 220.—An act for the relief of certain clerks.
Read first time.
And read second and third time by title under suspension of the rules.
And went to vote with the following result:
Ayes—23.
Noes—None.
Absent—Mr. Clark—1.
Bill passed and title agreed to after.
Adding the name of Nat. Crosby.

By unanimous consent of both Houses Mr. Judson introduced,

H. B. 221.—An act for the relief of certain clerks.
Read first time.
Read the second time by title under suspension of the rules.
Read third time by title under suspension of the rules
And then went to vote as follows:
Ayes—23.
Noes—None.
Absent—Mr. Clark—1.
Bill passed and title agreed to.
Report of committee of Conference

MR. SPEAKER:

Your committee of Conference to whom was referred

H. B. 210.—An act to authorize the county commissioners to sell certain real estate.

Have conferred and considered the same and recommend that the House concur in Council amendments.

J. ALEXANDER,
Committee from House.
SAML. CALHOUN,
Committee from Council.

On motion the report was adopted.

BILLS AND OTHER BUSINESS FROM THE COUNCIL.

C. B. 167.—An act to amend an act entitled an act defining the jurisdiction and practice in the probate conrts of W. T., approved Nov. 9, 1877.
Read first time
And second time by title under suspension of rules.
The bill was indefinitely postponed.

C. B. 37.—An act appropriating money to the University of Washington on receiving title thereto.

Objection was raised to receiving the bill.

On motion it was received.

Read first time.

A motion to suspend the rules and read the bill the second time was lost.

C. M. 7.—Praying the passage of an act of Congress enabling Board of county commissioners to borrow money for certa n purposes.

Read first time.

C. B. 158.—An act to provide for the formation and maintenance of county law libraries.

Read first time,

Message from the Council.

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
Dec. 1, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER—

I am instructed by the Council to inform the House that the President has signed

C. B. 15.—An act to provide for the education of deaf mutes.

C. B. 117.—An act to provide for the construction of dikes and ditches.

C. B. 141.—An act in relation to Prosecuting Attorneys.

C. B. 151.—An act concerning proclamations issued by the Governor.

H. B. 68.—An act to provide for the assessing and collecting of county and territorial revenue.

H. B. 108.—An act to prevent bribery in elections.

H. B. 100.—An act in relation to Elk.

H. B. 136.—An act authorizing the Territorial Auditor to credit Yakima county with the cost bills in the case of the Territory vs. Salushin Kife and Loawne.

C. B. 172.—An act to establish Courts in the First Judicial District.

H. B. 174.—An act to authorize the county commissioners of Jefferson county to pay rewards offered by the Sheriff of said county.

H. B. 198.—An act to amend an act in relation to Sheriffs of certain counties.

H. B. 202.—An act in relation to compensation of certain officers of Garfield county.

H. B. 204.—An act exempting fireman from certain duties.

H. B. 205.—An act to prevent hogs from trespassing in Klickitat county.

H. B. 212.—An act to authorize the county commissioners

of Klickitat county to offer a reward for the arrest and conviction of a fellon.

H. J. R. 23.—Resolution relative to examination of books and accounts of the Territorial Auditor and Treasurer.

H. J. R. 24.—Resolution in relation to rebate of terms of imprisonment of Territorial convicts.

Herewith returned.

Also,

C. B. 162.—An act to provide for the care, painting and repair of the Capitol building.

C. B. 103.—An act fixing the rate to be paid for public printing and providing for the auditing its accounts of public printing.

Herewith transmitted for your signature,

And the Council has passed.

H. B. 185.—An act to dispose of certain persons held in custody.

H. B. 219.—An act for the relief of George W. Gallagher.

H. B. 220.—An act for the relief of N. Crosby and certain clerks.

H. B. 221.—An act for the relief of certain clerks.

Herewith returned

And have concurred in House amendments to

C. B. 150.—An act to repeal an act to enforce judgment upon contracts according to their true intent and meaning, approved Nov. 23, 1869.

H. M. 24.—Relative to Life Saving Stations and Light Houses.

H. J. R. 21.—In regard to the use of the furniture belonging to the United States.

Herewith returned.

R. G. O'BRIEN,
Chief Clerk.

Speaker gave notice that he was about to sign the above bills transmitted for that purpose.

C. B. 149.—An act authorizing the cities, incorporated towns and villages to provide for a supply of water.

Read first time

And second and third time by title under suspension of the rules.

Then went to vote as follows:

Ayes—20.

Noes—Messrs. Freeman, Holcomb and Smith of Whitman—3.

Absent—Mr. Clark—1.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

C. J. R. 24.—To provide for printing certain laws and distributing the same.

Read first time.

Message from the Council.

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
Dec. 1, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER—

I am instructed by the Council to inform the House that the Council has refused to pass

H. B. 192.—An act in relation to lands reserved for University purposes.

H. B. 102.—An act to provide a System of Common Schools.

R. G. O'BRIEN,
Chief Clerk.

On motion of Mr. Alexander,

The House reconsidered the vote by which

H. B. 213.—An act prohibiting Goats from running at large in Klickitat county.

Failed to pass.

The second vote on final passage of the bill resulted as follows:

Ayes—Messrs. Alexander, Allen, Cornwall, Freeman, Holcomb, Judson, Kincaid, Kuhn, O'Neil, Raymond, Rees, Smith of King, Steen, Taylor, Van Eaton, Warman—16.

Noes—Messrs. Catlin, Dillon, Karr, Smith of Klickitat, Smith of Whitman and Mr. Speaker—6.

Absent—Messrs. Clark, Preston—2.

Bill passed and title agreed to.

Recess.

Called to order.

Report of committee on Enrolled bills

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Enrolled bills to whom was referred

H. B. 207.—An act to prevent the spread of contagious diseases in any of the counties in W. T.

H. B. 216.—An act for the relief of John G. Justice and others.

H. B. 210.—An act to authorize county commissioners to sell certain real estate.

H. B. 98.—An act for the relief of San Juan county.

H. B. 120.—An act for the relief of certain clerks.

H. B. 221.—An act for the relief of the clerks of the committee for the codification of the laws of Washington Territory.

Have compared the same and find them correctly enrolled.

R. R. REES,
Chairman.

The Speaker gave notice he was about to sign the above bills.

Message from the Council:

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
Dec. 1, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER—

I am instructed by the Council to inform the House that the Speaker has signed

C. B. 163.—An act to authorize the city of Dayton to audit and pay certain claims.

C. B. 133.—An act in relation to University lands in Washington Territory.

C. B. 138.—An act to repeal an act entitled an act to provide for the incorporation of towns, approved Nov. 29, 1871.

C. B. 150.—An act to repeal an act entitled an act to enforce judgments upon contracts according to their true intent and meaning, approved Nov. 23, 1869.

C. B. 134.—An act in relation to Territorial Treasurer.

C. B. 142.—An act for the relief of Lewis McMillan.

C. B. 137.—An act to repeal an act to provide for the incorporation of cities, approved Nov. 9, 1877.

Herewith transmitted for your signature.

And that the Council has refused to pass.

H. B. 213.—An act to prohibit the owners of goats, in Klickitat county from permitting the same to run at large.

R. G. O'BRIEN,
Chief Clerk.

Speaker gave notice of signing the above Council bills.

Mr. Kuhn moved to take up

H. M. 4.—Relating to banks and banking.

Memorial was taken up

A motion to indefinitely ponstpone.

Prevailed.

Mr. Rees in the chair.

Message from the Council:

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
Dec. 1, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER—

I am instructed by the Council to inform the House that the President has signed

H. B. 207.—An act to prevent the spread of contagious diseases in the counties of Washington Territory.

H. B. 98.—An act for the relief of San Juan county.

H. B. 218.—An act for the relief of John G. Justice and others.

H. B. 210.—An act to authorize county commissioners to sell certain real estate.

H. B. 220.—An act for the relief of certain clerks.

H. B. 221.—An act for the relief of the clerks of committee on codification ot the laws of Washington Territory.

Herewith returned.

Also

The President has signed

C. B. 149.—An act authorizing the cities, incorporated towns and villages to provide for a supply of water.

Herewith transmitted for your signature.

R. G. O'BRIEN,
Chief Clerk.

Message from the Governor:

WASHINGTON TERRITORY,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
Olympia, Dec. 1, 1881.

To the House of Representatives:

I have this day signed the following:

H. B. 172.—An act to establish courts in the third judicial district.

H. B. 198.—An act in relation to mileage of Sheriff in certain counties.

H. J. R. 23.—Relative to the examination of the books and account of the Territorial auditor and treasurer.

H. B. 212.—An act to authorize the county commissioners of Klickitat county to offer a reward for the arrest and conviction of a felon.

H. B. 100.—An act in relation to Elk.

H. J. R. 24.—In rebate of imprisonment of Territorial convicts.

H. B. 174.—An act to authorize the county commissioners of Jefferson county to pay rewards offered by the sheriff of said county.

H. B. 136.—An act authorizing the Territorial Auditor to credit Yakima county with the cost bills in the case of the Territory vs. Salushin Kife and Loawne.

H. B. 205.—An act to prevent hogs from trespassing in Klickitat county.

H. B. 204.—An act exempting fireman from certain duties.

H. B. 202.—An act in relation to compensation of certain officers of Garfield county.

H. B. 108.—An act to prevent bribery in elections in Washington Territory.

H. B. 207.—An act to prevent the spread of contagious diseases in the counties of Washington Territory.

H. B. 218.—An act for the relief of John G. Justice and others.

H. B. 210.—An act to authorize county commissioners to sell certain real estate.

H. B. 98.—An act for the relief of San Juan county.

H. B. 220.—An act for the relief of certain clerks.

H. B. 221.—An act for the relief of certain clerks.

WM. A. NEWELL.
Governor.

Report of the committee on Enrolled bills.

MR. SPEAKER—

Your committee on Enrolled bills to whom was referred

H. B. 219.—An act for the relief of G. Galligher for services as engrossing clerk.

H. J. R. 21.—In regard to the use of the furniture belonging to the United States.

H. M. 24.—Relative to Life Saving Stations and Light Houses.

Have compared the same and find them correctly enrolled.

R. R. REES,
Chairman.

The Speaker gave notice that he was about to sign the above bills, Resolutions and Memorials.

Message from the Council:

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
Dec. 1, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER—

I am instructed by the Council to inform the House that the Council have resolved to adjourn *sine die* at 10 o'clock to-morrow morning and that the Council have passed with amendment:

H. B. 213.—An act to prohibit the owners of goats, in Klickitat county from permitting the same to run at large.

Herewith returned for your concurrence.

R. G. O'BRIEN,
Chief Clerk.

On motion the House concurred in the amendment

Message from the Council:

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
Dec. 1, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER—

I am instructed by the Council to inform the House that the President has signed

H. B. 219.—An act for the relief of George W. Gallagher for services as enrolling clerk.

H. J. R. 21.—In relation to the use of furniture and other property now in the Capitol building.

H. M. 24.—Relative to Life Saving Stations and Light Houses.

Herewith returned.

R. G. O'BRIEN,
Chief Clerk.

A motion to reconsider the vote by which the House refused to suspend the rules on

C. B. 37.—An act appropriating money to the University of Washington on receiving title thereto.

Was lost.

Mr. Allen's motion that a copy of the report of the committee on Penitentiary be sent to the penitentiary commissioners prevailed.

Mr. Kuhn moved that the Clerk be instructed to enquire if the Council had any further business to communicate to the House and to inform the Council that the House is about to adjourn.

Motion prevailed.

On leave Mr. Kuhn introduced,

H. J. R. 27.—To wait on the Governor.

Read first time.

Read second and third time under suspension of the rules.

And passed unanimously.

Speaker appointed Messrs. Warman, O'Neil and Kuhn committee on part of the House.

Report of committee on Enrolled bills.

MR. SPEAKER—

Your Committee on Enrolled bills to whom was referred

H. B. 213.—An act prohibiting Goats from running at large in Klickitat county.

Have compared the same and find it correctly enrolled.

R. R. REES,
Chairman.

The Speaker gave notice of signing the said

H. B. 213.—An act prohibiting goats from running at large in Klickitat county.

Mr. Rees introduced the following resolution:

Resolved by the House that the thanks of the body are hereby tendered to Hon. N. H. Owings, Secretary of the Territory, for uniform consideration and courtesy in his official intercourse with our membership during the present session.

Adopted.

Ayes—20.

Noes—2.

Absent—2.

Message from the Council.

COUNCIL CHAMBER,
Dec. 1, 1881.

MR. SPEAKER—

I am instructed by the Council to inform the House that the President has signed

H. B. 213.—An act to prohibit hogs from running at large in Klickitat county.

H. B. 99.—An act in relation to roads, bridges, ferries, and travel on public highways.

Herewith returned.

Also,

The Council has passed.

H. J. R. 21.—Relative to Joint Committee to wait on the Governor.

Herewith returned.

And announce as Committee on the part of Council Messrs. Evans, Sharpstein and Hovey.

R. G. O'BRIEN,
Chief Clerk.

Mr. Alexander introduced the following resolution:

Resolved: That the thanks of this assembly are hereby given to the Speaker for the able, dignified and impartial manner in which he has presided over its deliberations, and to the other officers for the satisfactory manner in which they have filled the duties assigned them.

Unanimously adopted.

Message from the Governor:

TERRITORY OF WASHINGTON,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
Olympia, Dec. 1, 1881.

To the House of Representatives:

I have this day signed the following:

H. B. 68.—An act to provide for the assessing and collecting of county and territorial revenue.

H. B. 167.—An act to regulate suits for divorce and alimony

H. B. 16.—An act relating to election and the mode of supplying vacancies.

H. J. R. 21.—In regard to the use of furniture and other property now in the capitol building.

H. M. 24.—Relating to Life Saving Stations and Light houses.

H. B. 219.—An act for the relief Geo. W. Gallagher for services as enrolling clerk.

H. B. 99.—An act in relation to roads, bridges and ferries and travel on public highways

I am respectfully,

WM. A. NEWELL.
Governor.

Mr. Warman from the Joint committee appointed to wait upon the Governor and ascertain if he had anything further to communicate to the Legislative Assembly of Washington Territory at their 8th biennial session.

Reported that the committee had performed the duty assigned, and the Governor had sent his compliments to the Assembly and had nothing further to communicate.

Mr. Karr introduced the following resolution:

Resolved: That the House extend a vote of thanks to Gov-

ernor Newell for the able efficient and courteous manner in which he has performed his official duties in assisting this Assembly.

Unanimously adopted.

On motion of Mr. Smith of King,

Governor Newell was invited within the bar of the House and delivered a short address.

Mr. Smith of Whitman introduced the following resolution:

Resolved, By the House that a vote of thanks be extended to the clerks of the codification committee for the faithful manner in which they have performed their duties.

Unanimously adopted.

Hon. N. H. Owings, Territorial Secretary, being loudly called by members came within the bar and made a few remarks on the events of the session.

After which

On motion of Mr. Smith

The House adjourned.

GEORGE COMEGYS,
Speaker of the House.

E. R. BURK,
Chief Clerk.

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N. H. OWINGS,
Secretary.